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UNDER THE PUNKAH.

By J. PENN.

Zero Hour.

Noon—in the Circumlocution Department. All hands mustered in response to an urgent call from the Chief. "Boys," said he, "pardon the familiarity, but at a desperate moment like this, dignity must be thrown to the winds. I have just received information that the Axe-men are coming here to-morrow on an official visit of inspection. Now, those of you who were in the army for a spell will know how important it is to have everything 'just so' for Brass Hats to see. I want you all to be on your very best behaviour to-morrow." Those of you who are in the habit of wearing shorts and open-neck shirts might find it convenient to appear in more conventional and less holiday-like attire, just for once. Please don't misunderstand me; this is not an order, but just a friendly hint. Also those of you who make it a practice to do a spot or two of inspection work before actually arriving at your desks may find it an advantage to come direct from your dwellings to the Department to-morrow, in case the Axe-men may be here before you, watching the clock and asking a lot of questions which will cause much waste of their valuable time. Boys, do you get me? Have I made my meaning sufficiently clear even to your obfuscated understanding? I have—very good; then I need say no more. Dismiss!"

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Cutting Remarks.

Next day—in the Circumlocution Department. "It seems to me," mused the First Axe-man, "that the methods of this Department need revision." "Is that so, sir," said the trembling Chief; "in what way, sir?" Grimly fingering the razor-like edge of his pruning implement, the First Axe-man replied:—"It is now barely nine of the clock, yet it appears every individual member of your staff has been at work for several minutes. To my mind, that sort of thing is not altogether in keeping either with the name or the reputation of this Department." The unlucky Chief was obviously stumped, and before he could utter even a few stammering words in extenuation the Fourth Axe-man spoke. "Are you acquainted with Adam Smith, John Stuart Mill, Ricardo, and Karl Marx." The head of the Circumlocution Department gazed blankly at his new tormentor. "It is impossible, sir, for me to carry in my head the names of every individual member of this Department, but if you will wait a moment I can ascertain whether the names you mentioned are still on the active list."

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A Straightforward Question.

The gleaming edges of four sharp axes simultaneously and ominously flashed in the sunlight as their bearers fidgetted nervously with their deadly weapons. "I am afraid," said the Fourth Axe-man, coldly, "you do not quite appreciate the point of my inquiry. What I want to know is this—in controlling the affairs of the Department entrusted to your care, do you favour the Marxian theory of value, or that of his predecessors or successors? For example, in preparing the Estimates of your Department for presentation to the Colonial Secretary, do you take into consideration the fact that variations in the law of supply and demand must inevitably react upon the marginal utility of commodities, and therefore it is obvious that since labour creates values the progress of social development must depend in the last analysis upon the evolutionary character of the development of industry? Do you, or do you not agree?"

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An Exciting Interlude.

The Third Axe-man at this point fell asleep, and his axe clattered from his nerveless fingers to the ground, neatly lopping off a little toe from the foot of a near by *foki* as it fell. Great was the subsequent hubbub, and not for years had such a scene of animation been witnessed in the Circumlocution Department. The mutilated man roared with pain, and the dozing Axe-man woke with a start. His No. 4 *confrère* looked on with the languid detachment of one whose mind was pre-occupied with Higher Things than toes, little or big. Axe-man No. 1 shook his fist angrily at the unoffending and unfortunate Chief of the Circumlocution Department, but the second axe-wielder was a tender-hearted fellow, and whispered in the distracted man's ear:—"Now is your chance to show efficiency—get a doctor, quick!" Calling his confidential stenographer, the Chief said:—"Please take this letter, Miss Jonesmith. Mark it 'Urgent-Rush.' . . Hon. Director of Medical and Sanitary Service. Sir,—I have the honour to inform you that the attendance of a fully qualified medical man is required in this Department at the earliest possible moment. As this is a matter of extreme urgency—underline that—I am taking the liberty of writing to you personally instead of passing the matter through the usual departmental channels by minute. I have the honour to be, Your obedient servant'—better take an extra copy, Miss Jonesmith, and tell the messenger—when he goes—to wait for an answer."

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Something Attempted, Something Done.

By this time the unlucky *foki's* shouts and screens were stilled; he had fainted from shock and loss of blood. "When do you expect the doctor?" demanded the leader of the Axe-men. The Chief of the Circumlocution Department called his First Assistant, who explained that messengers were despatched to the other various Departments on alternate Wednesdays, during the busy season, and on the fifteenth of every month during the remainder of the year. The Axe-men put their heads together in secret conclave for a few moments, and then the No. 1 addressed the Chief of the Circumlocution Department. "We are of opinion," he said, in firm and impressive tones, "that it is not necessary for us to continue our pruning operations," with a significant look at No. 3, who was busily cleaning his ensanguined axe. "We have, as you see, accomplished something"—glancing at the amputated little toe—"and we are confident that you on your part will in due course do all that is to be expected in the circumstances." The Axe-men formed fours, 'bout-turned, and wicked significantly to the Chief of the Circumlocution Department as he held open the door for them to pass out. "See you later!" he whispered, "and what will I do with that toe?" "Preserve it in alcohol as an exhibit!" came the reply.

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Queen's Theatre: "7 Faces."

World Theatre: "Lady of the Pavements."

Star Theatre: "Jazz Singer."

Central Theatre: "The Studio Murder Mystery."

Majestic Theatre: "Ladies of the Mob."

St. Paul's College Bazaar, Lower Albert Road.

Golf: Bogey Pool, Fanling.

7th Ordinary Yearly Meeting, Chinese Estates, Ltd., China Building.

Lawn Bowls:—1st Div.: C.S.C.C. *v.* Kowloon Docks R.C., Recreio *v.* C.C.C., K.C.C. *v.* Police R.C., Kowloon B.G.C. *v.* Taikoo R.C.; 2nd Div.: C.C.C. *v.* Recreio, H.K. Electric R.C. *v.* C.S.C.C., Royal H.K.Y.C. *v.* K.U.C., Taikoo R.C. *v.* Kowloon B.G.C.

Tea Dance: Peninsula Hotel, 5 p.m.

Dinner Dance: Repulse Bay Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

European Mail:—Outward: Europe *viâ* Marseilles (Morea), 10.30 a.m.; Europe *viâ* Siberia (Taiyo Maru), 6 p.m.

Tides: High, 3.29 a.m. and 2.58 p.m.; Low, 9.25 a.m. and 9.37 p.m.

Sunday.
(July 20.)

Golf: Bogey Pool.

Central Theatre: "The Virginian."

Majestic Theatre: "Partners in Crime."

Tides: High, 4.10 a.m. and 4.39 p.m.; Low, 11.32 a.m. and 10.16 p.m.

Monday.
(July 21.)

Central Theatre: "The Virginian."

Majestic Theatre: "Partners in Crime."

Water Polo:—2nd Div.: Kowloon S.C. *v.* University.

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Tides: High, 4.56 a.m. and 6.16 p.m.; Low, 12.47 a.m. and 10.59 p.m.

Tuesday.
(July 2.)

Central Theatre: "The Virginian."

Magistrate: "Partners in Crime."

Sanitary Board Meeting, 4.15 p.m.

Dinner Dance: Peninsula Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

European Mail:—Inward: Europe *viâ* Marseilles (Achilles), 2.30 p.m.

Tides: High, 5.44 a.m. and 7.41 p.m.; Low, 1.43 p.m. and 11.39 p.m.

Wednesday.
(July 23.)

Central Theatre: "The Virginian."

Magistrate Theatre: "Legion of the Condemned."

Tennis:—Mixed Doubles: Kowloon C.C. *v.* U.S.R.C.

Water Polo:—2nd Division: 12th Heavy Bty. *v.* Fukien Club.

Dinner Dance: H.K. Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

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London, after the north, seems incredibly vitalised. The general industrial depression that lies so heavily on the people of the mining and the cotton districts is not in London, writes Mrs. Cecil Chesterton.

Unemployment is sporadic rather than settled, hope still lurks round the corner, there is yet the chance of a job; but within narrower limits there is the same struggle. The London woman, with husband out of work, like her sister of the Tyneside, has to keep the family fed and shod and housed on a weekly sum that calls for unending ingenuity and patience.

You find them everywhere, these heroines of unemployment, facing the daily grind, the never-ending problem of how to make one shilling do the work of two. It is for them to keep their husbands' flagging courage to sticking point, to hold against the heaped-up disappointment of hope continually deferred an even keel of sympathy and courage.

Few know the story of their lives, their struggles and endurance. I have learned something of what it means to manage on the dole.

Hunger for a Garden.

I found husband, wife, and five children, from two to eight years old, living in one room—a typical home in Queensland-road, Holloway—that district of wide thoroughfares, mean streets, and congeries of teeming slums.

"We pay 10s. a week rent," said the cheery little woman. "You see, it's what they call furnished. The landlord puts in a bed and a chair or two. There's not an unfurnished room to be had, though we've still enough of our own things to manage."

The floor was covered with linoleum—also the landlord's. Mother, father, and two children slept in one bed, and three children in another.

The husband, a tall, sturdy chap, draws 17s. a week unemployment pay, with 9s. a week for his wife and 2s. for each child. To feed and clothe and generally look after a family of seven on 36s. a week needs husbandry and hard work. The menu is largely tea and "bread and marge," with a suet pudding for the children, potatoes, and occasional stews.

Few have more than one room in Queensland-road, but though terribly overcrowded they are all clean. Flowers bloom in the windows and in the pathetic little front yards runner beans flourish with geraniums, and marigolds all "a-blowing from a pennorth of seeds"—the symbol of the Londoner's romantic hunger for a garden.

Clothes by Instalments.

A widow and four daughters exist on the unemployment pay of 12s. weekly of the eldest daughter, aged eighteen, 2s. per child from the Public Assistance Committee—which has taken the place of the Poor Law guardians—and what the woman can earn by daily charing. They live in one room at 5s. a week, with their own furniture and gas cooker. The groceries are bought at a general shop which allows a shilling discount in the £. The instalment clothing plan keeps them dressed.

"It's very difficult sometimes," said the mother, "but it's bad for the girl to go shabbier than her friends. It puts wrong ideas into her head. She must look smart on a Sunday, but week days don't matter. So I pawn her best dress and the kiddies' shoes and my coat when we're hard up, and get them out again at week-ends."

The family wardrobe is the household capital, drawn out and paid in as necessity demands through "the poor man's bank."

"So long as there is something, however little, coming in regular like, it gives you hope," said an elderly woman. "It was different before the war. My husband fell out of work for three years and our home and his savings had to go to find the children food. It broke his heart. He's never been the same since. The dole does help, at any rate, to keep your spirit up. You aren't quite ground into the dust."

The Master Man.

What this sense of security means I realised a little further down the same street, an old-fashioned turning off Hornsey-road.

"No, my husband doesn't get unemployment pay. He's what they call a master man. That means he sells fruit on his own. We've got the barrow and the board, but we haven't got the fruit and there's no chance of getting any. He was

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laid up—and he had to spend the money that buys his stock.

They have lived up to the present on the home, which is going bit by bit. They will not apply to the Public Assistance Committee. Man and wife are indomitably proud, and they will manage somehow until the bitter end.

THE KALAHARI NOT A DESERT.

A DEFINITE PRONOUNCEMENT BY SCIENTISTS.

GIGANTIC GRASSY PLAIN.

The great Kalahari Desert is not a desert, and it is time for this century-old mistake, endorsed by modern geographers, to be refuted once and for all.

This definite pronouncement is the first to reach civilisation from the Vernay-Lang expedition of fourteen scientists who are now engaged on the most exhaustive survey of the Kalahari ever undertaken.

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A Grassy Plain.

On the route so far traversed, the Kalahari, instead of the commonly accepted idea of a desert, presents chiefly a grassy plain, in which bushes and trees are often more or less thickly scattered. The excessively porous nature of the sandy soil allows the entire rainfall, which is probably greater than is generally assumed, to be so rapidly absorbed that extensive accumulation of water is only possible in a few isolated pans. The rain absorbed in the fine, sandy soil is thus retained for a considerable time.

This practical storage of water, unavailable to man, results in relatively luxuriant vegetation that abolishes the appearance of real desert conditions. In certain localities it furnishes abundant fodder for game.

Far from being the cradle of mankind, as has been sometimes suggested, the Kalahari constitutes an enormous basin of about 600,000 square miles, forming the greatest accumulation of wind blown sand in the world. Flora and fauna now existing in the Kalahari are, definitely immigrants of comparatively recent times and are closely related to those living in adjacent territories.

Man also, it is concluded, has invaded the Kalahari in relatively recent times, having taken to the place as an excellent refuge.

LAWSUIT AGAINST TROTSKY.

MAY BE ALLOWED INTO GERMANY AS WITNESS.

An interesting literary action brought by a German publishing house against Trotsky has resulted in an appeal to the German authorities to permit the exile a few weeks' stay in that country.

The well-known publishers of historical memoirs, Carl Reissner, of Dresden, claim that a year ago Trotsky promised them the manuscript of a work entitled "Lenin and his followers," to be ready this spring, and signed a contract to that effect. When the representative of the firm appeared in Stamboul at the time this agreement was signed, Trotsky inquired whether the political opinions of this house were such as warranted a man of his views permitting them to handle his work. He received books deliberately against Soviet Russia, nor had it any intention of engaging upon any such publication.

No mention was made of the fact that a work by Kerensky, containing sharp criticism of Lenin and the Soviet *régime*, had appeared among Raissner's books. Trotsky heard of this later, and raised objections, to which he received the reply that had the publishers been fully aware of what Kerensky proposed to write they would doubtless not have handled the book. In any case, to satisfy Trotsky, the firm expressed themselves willing to let Kerensky vanish from the market as soon as the present edition was exhausted. This did not satisfy Trotsky, who declared that he considered his contract no longer valid.

His presence as witness is urgently desired by the Court and his friends are hoping that this may be the means of obtaining him permission to enter Germany and obtain medical advice. Criticism of political enemies, to the effect that this is what he has doubtless been trying to accomplish, is met by the reply that not he but his publishers have brought the action.

STEWARD BEATEN BY A CAPTAIN.

CABIN SCENE ON THE HIGH SEAS.

Alexander Kane, master of the steamship Bradavon, lying at Greewhich Buoys, was fined £5, with £3 costs, at Greenwich Police Court for assaulting George Yorston a steward, on the high seas. Yorston said that the vessel was at Preston, West Indies, on May 16, when the captain went into his cabin, accused him of drinking, hit him, kicked him, and beat him on the back until he was "blue all over."

Mr. Peregrine, defending: Does not your record show you to be a thorough scoundrel?

Yorston disagreed, but admitted that he had three bad discharges. He joined the Discovery, but did not go to the South Pole.

Mr. Peregrine: No, because by the time you got to Cardiff you were thrown out for drunkenness.

Yorston: No, I refused to go because the voyage was too long.

Kane denied that he struck Yorston with a sugar-cane, and said that his injuries were caused by his falling down the hold.

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Children's Service at 10 a.m.
Mattins and Sermon at 11 a.m.
Preacher:—Rev. A. D. Stewart.
Holy Communion at 1.5 p.m.
Evensong at 6.0 p.m.
Preacher:—Rev. R. H. V. Brougham, Chaplain of Missions to Seamen.

FRIDAY, July 25, St. James Day:—
Holy Communion at 7.45 a.m.
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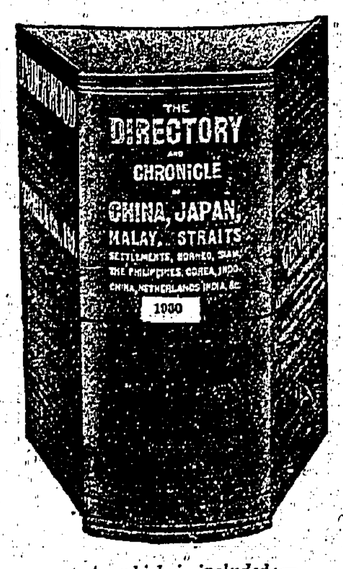

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Teacher: "What is meant by 'shining raiment'?"
"Willie: "A blue serge suit."

"She was a maiden of wenty summers—and how many winters?"
"None! She lived in California."

First Political Writer: "Do you ever have any trouble getting to sleep after a hard day's work?"
Second: "Not at all. I just count politicans straddling a fence."

"Darling, I won a medal at the cookery school."
"Wonderful! But tell me, what is this I am eating?"
"Guess."
"Your diploma."

"But I am so unworthy of you, dear," he murmured.
"Oh, Fred," she sighed, "if you and Father only agreed on every other question as you do on that, how happy we should be!"

She had parked her car in front of a fire hydrant for two hours. A policeman was waiting for her.
Policeman: "I've waited for you for hours—what's your name?"
She: "It wouldn't do you any good if I told you. You look a nice boy—my husband is about twice your size and very jealous."

"That house I have taken from you," said the dissatisfied tennat, "is horribly draughty. When I am sitting in the middle of the room my hair blows all over my head. Can't you do something for the windows?"
"Don't you think, sir," replied the agent, suavely, "it would be easier and cheaper for you to get your hair cut?"

Vistory: "Why do they call that column, 'In Lighter Vein'?"
Office Boy: "Because so many vain things try to light there!"

"I'm the father of seven girls."
"Then you and your wife have seven mouths to feed."
"No, we have fourteen. They're all married."

"I lent you two eggs yesterday, Mrs. Brown. You brough only one back."
"Only one! Then I must have made a mistake in counting them."

Housekeeper: "I don't usually give charity, but you can have a meal if you will beat this rug."
Tramp: "But, haven't you a smaller one? I'm not as hungry as all that!"

Prospective Bride (to visitor come to view wedding presents): "No, dear—all those alarm clocks aren't wedding presents. They are what I had given me by various mistresses when I was in service, to get me up in the morning!"

Nathaniel Parker Willis (1806-1867), American poet and journalist, was the life of every party he attended. At a dinner given by Mrs. Gale in Washington, Mr. Willis sat next to Mrs. Gale's niece, and engaged in a tête-à-tête with her. Mrs Gale penned her niece a note, and had the butler hand it to her. The girl read, "Don't flirt so with Nat Willis."
Mrs. Gale, meanwhile, was having a lively chat with Mr. Campbell, on her left. So Mr. Willis, noticing the message, penned this smart reply: "Dear aunt, don't attempt my young feelings to trammel, nor strain at a Nat while you swallow a Compbell."

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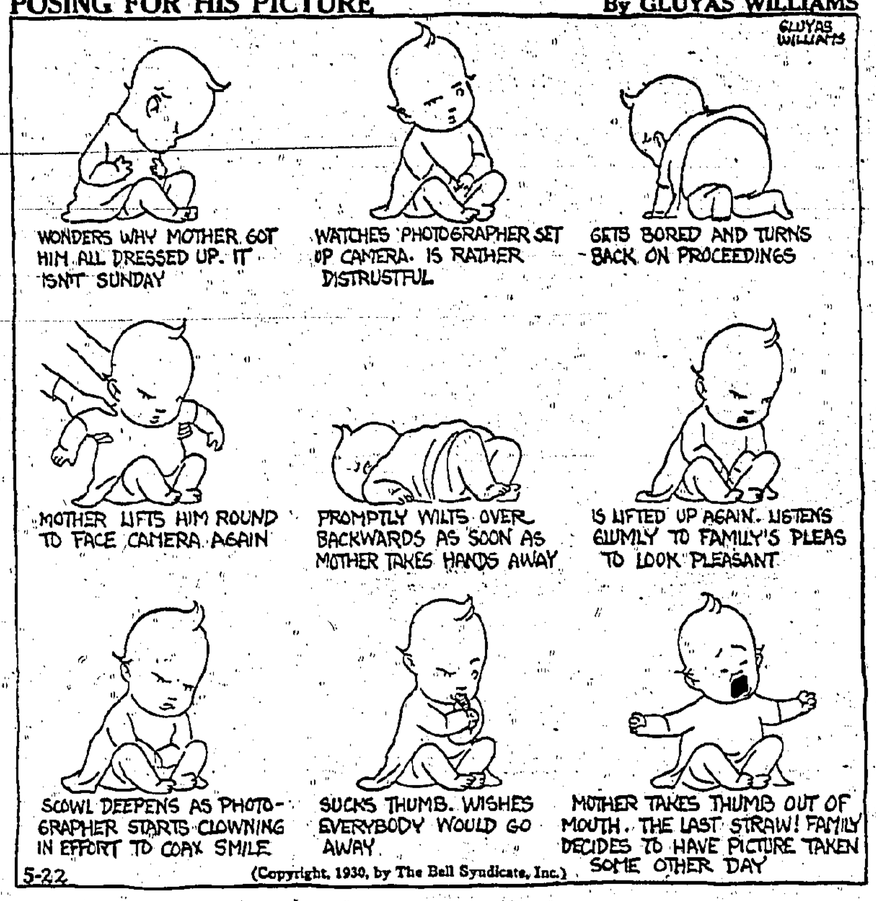
By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

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11 to 11.30 a.m.—Commercial News.
11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.
12.30 to 1.15 p.m.—Mid-day European programme of H.M.V. records selected and supplied by Messrs. Moutrie & Co.
1.15 to 1.45 p.m.—Organ recital by Frederick Mason,. A.R.C.O., L.T.C.L.
1. (a) Grave and (b) Adagie, Sonate No. 2, Mendelssohn.
2. Song Without Words, Holloway.
3. Tone Poem—Pastorale, Oliver King.
4. Chanson d'Ete, Lemare.
5. (a) The Question and (b) The Answer, Welstonholme.

1.30 p.m.—Weather report.
1.45 to 2 p.m.—Mid-day programme continued.
2 p.m.—Close down.
7 to 9.30 p.m.—Evening European programme of H.M.V. records selected and supplied by Messrs. Moutrie & Co.

"The Barber of Seville"—Overture, State Orchestra, Berlin.
"Ah! Moon of My Delight" and "On Wings of Song," Tudor Davies, Tenor.
"Lilac Time"—Vocal Gems, Light Opera Company.
"A Song of Tender Memories" and "A Word, Allow Me!" Peter Dawson.
"Hirage" and "I Zingari," De Groot—Violin, David Bor—Piano, H. M. Calve—Cello.
"Little Pal" and "Why Can't You," Gracie Fields, Comedienne.
"Sanctuary of the Heart" and "In A Chinese Temple Garden," Reginald Foort.
"'Tis I" and "The Darlin' Girl From Clare," Peter Dawson.
"Softly As In A Morning Sunrise" and "One Kiss," De Groot and his Orchestra.
"Only A Rose" and "Love Me To-night," Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham, Vocal Duet.
"Peer Gynt"—Suite—Anitra's Dance and "Peer Gynt"—Suite—In the Hall of the Mountain King.
"Peer Gynt"—Suite—Morning and "Peer Gynt"—Suite—Death of Ase.
"Vulcan's Song" and "The Armourer's Song," Robert Radford.
"Lily of Laguna" and "Just Imagine" (Good News), Leslie James, Wurlitzer Organ.
"Sonata No. 1," May Harrison and Arnold Bax, Violin and Pianoforte.
"Zigouner," Peggy Wood, Soprano.
"If Love Were All," Ivy St. Helier, Soprano.
"Ecessaise" and "Sonata in A Major," Mische Levitzki, Pianoforte Solo.
"Yeung Tom o' Devon" and "Widdicombe Fair," Charles Tree, Baritone.
"Till Eulenspiegels Lustige Streiche," London Symphony Orch.

9.30 p.m.:—

DANCE PROGRAMME.

Extra—Waltz, "Carelina Moon."
1. Fox Trot—"Ain't Misbehavin'" and "What Is This Thing Called Love?"
2. One Step—"By The Way" and "Satisfied."
3. Fox Trot—"Song of the Vagabond" and "Only A Rose."
4. Waltz—"My Song of the Nile" "Your Always in My Arms."
6. Fox Trot—"You Were Meant for Me" and "Broadway Melody.

10.30 p.m.:—
7. Blues—Fox Trot—"St. Louis Blues" and "Deep Night."
8. Fox Trot—"A Garden in the Rain" and "Mean to Me."
9. Waltz—"Romance" and "A Bundle of Letters."
10. Fox Trot—"Josephita" and "I Kiss Your Hand Madame."
11. One Step—"Makin' Whoopoo" and "Seventh Heaven."

11.25 p.m.:—
12. Waltz—"Hugette" and "The Desert Song."

Extras—"Little Pal," "Mona," and "Weary River."
There will be an interval of approximately two minutes between dances.
11.30 p.m.—Close down.

SUNDAY.

11 a.m.—Church Service relayed from St. John's Cathedral.
12.15 p.m. (approx.).—Chinese programme.
1 p.m.—Close down.
1.30 p.m.—Weather report and local time.

(Continued on next Column.)

9 p.m.—Weather report and local time.
9 p.m.—Programme of Columbia records selected and supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.
"The Damask Rose"—Selection, Court Symphony Orchestra.
"Drinking" and "Song of the Flea," Capiten Zaporojetz with Piano.
"The Merchant of Venice," Organ solo by Quentin M. Maclean.
"Concert Waltz in A" and "Witches' Dance," The B.B.C. Wireless Symphony Orchestra.
"Rigolette"—Quartette and "Rigolette"—Prelude and Duke's Song, Maria Gentile, Alessandre Granda and Carle Galeffi.
"Shenandoah, Sea Shanty" and "The Meistersingers—Prize Song," Cello Solo by W. H. Squire; Pattman at the Organ.
"The Voice I Heard E'en Now" and "A Docile Mind I Bear," A. M. Guglielmetti, Soprano.
"Slavonic Dance in G Minor" and "Largo," Violin Solo by Joseph Szigeti and Karl Rankl at the Piano.
"Faust"—Prelude, and "Faust"—Valse, Milan Symphony Orch.
"Slumber, Dear Maid" and "Abide With Me," Master John Bonner, Boy Soprano.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

THE SILVER SCREEN.

MUNI FEATURED IN WHIMSICAL DRAMA.

A powerful yet whimsical drama of a Parisian waxwork show is interwoven with a beautiful romance in "Seven Faces," Fox Movietone all talking production, showing at Queen's Theatre to-day.

Paul Muni, who enacts seven character *rôles* in this production, supplies the whimsical touch in his portrayal of Papa Chibou, caretaker of the musée Pratouchy, who fairly worships the wax effigy of the Emperor Napoleon.

Muni's artistry is said to make the love of the old man for the heroic statue convincing and keeps it a thing of dramatic beauty. Hero worship of inanimate statues is nothing new in human experience, and old Papa Chibou, with no family upon whom to lavish his affection, expresses his love for his wax figures.

"Their Own Desire."

Norma Shearer, in a penetrating study of present-day social standards called "Their Own Desire," will be screen fare offered at the Queen's Theatre on Sunday.

Miss Shearer's new vehicle was adapted from the novel by Sarita Fuller, which tells the story of a girl whose happiness came dangerously near frustration through the machinations of a father who had grown tired of his wife, and sought diversion in other quarters.

While "Their Own Desire" is not exactly a phase of the "sins of the fathers" idea, it gives a clear-cut picture of the effect of parental incompatibility on children, which in itself is something rather novel for screen use.

Miss Shearer, as usual, gives an intelligent and faithful performance of a *rôle* that might easily have been ruined by overplayed sentimentality. Lewis Stone and Belle Bennett as the parents are splendidly cast, and other capable performances are given by Robert Montgomery, Helene Millard, Cecile Cunningham, Mary Doran and June Nash.

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HIGH COURT JUDGES AS "NEIGHBOURS."

The war of the "piano next door," previously confined to suburban neighbours, took a novel turn last month, when the "neighbours" were two High Court Judges sitting in different courts in the Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Eve was hearing a case when suddenly the strains of a piano could be heard from the adjoining court. Mr. Justice Eve asked if any one was playing a piano.

"If so," he added, "it ought to be stopped."

A barrister who was examining a witness humorously suggested that the tipstaff should be sent to arrest the player.

Mr. Justice Luxmoore, in the meantime, was having the unusual experience of listening to a famous conductor playing the piano in his Court, and of comparing parts of opera gramophone records.

Opera and Comedy.

The action before him concerned alleged similarities between an air in the musical comedy "Silver Wings" and one of the leading themes in Puccini's opera, "Madame Butterfly."

Mr. Percy Pitt, to illustrate his evidence, played passages on a piano placed on the floor of the Court, and afterwards records were played on a gramophone on the solicitors' table.

The action was brought by G. Ricordi and Co. (London), Ltd., who claimed the copyright in the opera, "Madame Butterfly," and the defendants were Herbert Clayton and Jack Waller, Ltd., theatrical producers, the Dominion Theatre, Ltd., Jack Waller, and Joseph Tunbridge, orchestral conductor.

Mr. Waller is joint composer with Mr. Tunbridge of the music of "Silver Wings."

Mr. Moritz, K.C., for G. Ricordi and Co., said that in the second and third acts of "Silver Wings" there was an air called "Asleep in my Heart," and the allegation was that that air was derived from a famous air in the opera "Madame Butterfly."

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Parades.

(a.)—Corps Band.—Until further orders the Corps Band will parade twice a week at Headquarters, namely on Mondays and Thursdays at 6 p.m.

(b.)—Battery:—

(i.)—There will be a short lecture with practical work on Thursday, July 24, at 5.30 p.m. at Headquarters.

(ii.)—Dress:—Topees. All ranks of the Battery who have not already done so will hand in their topees to the stores for the fixing of Corps flashes.

Tunics. All ranks will hand in their tunics for the fitting of grenade collar badges.

Lanyards will be drawn from O.C. Unit and worn on the right shoulder.

(iii.)—Armament Change.—The Battery is now armed with 4.5" Q.F. howitzers in place of 6-inch 23 cwt. Mark I. howitzers.

(iv.)—The undermentioned will be the instructors for Thursday, July 24:—Capt. T. A. H. Coltman, R.A., for B.C. and Staff; B.S.M. Worne, R.A., for the remainder.

(c.)—Engineer Company.—R.E. Rifle meeting, Sunday July 20, at Stonecutters. Competitors from H.K.V.D.C. Engineer Company will proceed by Dodwell's launch, the Tean Cheong, leaving Statue Pier at 8.10 a.m. and Kowloon at 8.20 a.m.

Dress: Mufti. Rifles to be drawn by mid-day on Saturday, July 19.

Programme and rules of the meeting have been circulated to all members.

(d.)—Corps Signals.—Signal Class will parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, July 20.

(e.)—Machine Gun Troop. Parade on Thursday, July 24, at 5.30 p.m. at Causeway Bay Stables.

(f.)—Machine Gun Company. N.C.O.'s Classes will be held on the following dates at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. Dress: Mufti:—

Tuesday, Jlly 22.
Friday, July 25.

All N.C.O.'s and those detailed by Platoon Commanders are expected to attend.

(g.)—Armoured Car Company:—Car Section. The following will parade at Kowloon Railway Station at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, July 25, for driving instruction on No. 2 Armoured Car:—

Sergt. E. D. Labrouse.
L/Cpl. J. S. Flegg.
Pte. E. J. J. Spradbury.
Pte. A. G. Clarke.

All other ranks will parade at Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. for instruction on No. 1 car under Cpl. A. Nissim.

Motor Cycle Section.—Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, July 25, for instructional ride and dismounted action *en route*.

Rifles and Bayonets.

All rifles, bayonets and scabbards will be handed into store as soon as possible for the annual inspection by the armourer.

All the above must be in a thoroughly clean condition when handed in.

Corps Flashes.

The new flashes for the Corps topees are now ready. Officers and other ranks will hand their topees into the store as soon as possible for the purposes of having the flashes properly sewn on. O.C. Units who will please expedite the sending in of the topees of the members of their commands.

Leave.

No. 879 Pte. D. Harvey, No. 7 Platoon, from July 15 to August 15, 1930.

Strength.

No. 1575 Pte. J. C. M. Grenham, Machine Gun Company, No. 4 Platoon, has been taken on the strength and posted to the Unit as from July 15, 1930.

Appointment.

No. 948 Sergt. G. Davidson, Machine Gun Troop, is appointed Troop Quartermaster Sergeant as from July 18, 1930.

Struck Off the Strength.

The undermentioned are dismissed from the Corps as from June 28, 1930:—

No. 1344 Pte. J. R. Carr, Armoured Car Company (Cycle Section).

No. 1450 Pte. W. F. Edge, Machine Gun Company, No. 1 Platoon.

Firing Point Registers.

The use of the old register of scores made on Miniature Range will be discontinued forthwith; in future a supply of proper firing point registers will be kept in the Miniature Range, and will be used whenever firing takes place, and forwarded to the Adjutant on completion of the practices.

Equipment Register.

All members who have not signed the new equipment register in the Corps Stores, will please do so as soon as possible.

(Sgd.) W. H. G. Goater, Capt.,
Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.
Hong Kong, July 18, 1930.

NOTICE.

Annual Aquatic Sports.

The annual aquatic sports will be held at the Victoria Recreation Club on Saturday, July 26, at 9 p.m.

Admission tickets $1 each can be obtained at Volunteer Headquarters and Victoria Recreation Club.

Entrance fee 50 cents per man per event whether team or individual entries. Members of the Corps are asked to submit names for the Lady Competition (no entrance fee) to C.S.M. Padgett.

Entries to be made in writing, accompanied by the necessary fees to C.S.M. Padgett at Volunteer Headquarters, not later than noon on Tuesday, July 25.

Full particulars have been issued to all ranks of the Corps by circular letter.

Re Matrimonial Stakes:—1 length ladies, 1 length men.

Men will swim in nightdress.

Ladies will swim in pyjamas.

Re Inter Company Team Race:—Each team will consist of five members.

EINSTEIN: BY HIMSELF.

ALL ABOUT THE SPATIAL CONTINUUM.

A distinguished audience of scientists, engineers and others listened to Professor Einstein's address to the World Power Conference in Berlin on "The Space, Field and Ether Problems in Physics," and warmly applauded him.

The following is an English translation of a summary of the conclusion of the address:—

"Perhaps the most important point of all is that without the introduction of Descartes spatial continuum it would have been impossible to formulate Newton's laws of mechanics. The fundamental idea of acceleration in this theory must be based on the conception of Cartesian space co-ordinates; for, acceleration cannot be deduced from conceptions limited to the relative position of bodies or material particles and their changes in time.

"It is, therefore, correct to maintain that in Newton's theory space fulfilled the functions of a physical reality, a fact which Newton himself fully realised, although it was forgotten by later thinkers. Summing up, we may say, rather metaphorically, that space, brought to light by the material object, and made a scientific reality by Newton, has, during the past century, swallowed up both ether and light, and is now about to swallow up the gravitational and electromagnetic fields and corpuscles too, so that it will be left as the sole theoretical representative of reality."

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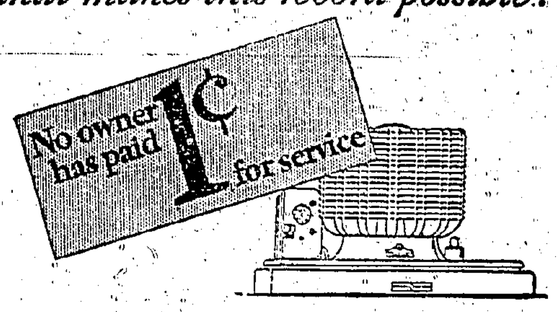

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ANTI-FASCIST LITERATURE DISTRIBUTED OVER MILAN.

Berne, July 13.—The Swiss public is greatly agitated over a mysterious aeroplane disaster on the St. Gotthard glacier where a French machine smashed on the mountainside head on after its sole occupant had jumped 150 feet to the ground whence he was rescued with severe injuries and rushed to the Andermatt hospital. When he recovered consciousness for a short while, the pilot declared in incoherent words that he had started from Le Bourget aerodrome, Paris, for Bellinzona but had lost his direction in a heavy fog, mistaking the St. Gotthard for the Simplon pass.

As the St. Gotthard is the key-point of the Swiss defences and flying over it, therefore, strictly prohibited, it was at first believed that the lone aviator who is an Italian named Giovanni Gossignosi, had made the flight for the Italian intelligence service in order to spy out the Swiss defence system.

100,000 Leaflets Dropped.

However, this theory was abandoned when it was learned that on Friday afternoon an unidentified aeroplane flying at great altitude had dropped approximately 100,000 anti-Fascist leaflets over the city of Milan where the police and militia were called out to prevent the crowds from picking up the leaflets which violently attacked the Fascist *régime*.

It is, therefore, now assumed that Gossignosi is identical with that mysterious pilot who was responsible with the Milan leaflet barrage and that he lost his way when chased by a number of Italian battle 'planes which were sent up by the Italian authorities in order to bring the machine down on Italian territory. The Swiss authorities now believe that this version is right inasmuch as it was found out that the smashed machine was registered in the name of the director of the Paris royalist newspaper *Action Francaise* which is decidedly anti-Fascist.

Later:—Further investigations of the air-disaster on the St. Gotthard glacier revealed that the injured pilot's name is Bassanesi and that he was in the possession of passports in three different names which further deepens the mystery of the case.

A Daring Feat.

Berne, July 13.—The Italian flyer Bassanesi, the victim of the mysterious accident on the St. Gotthard glacier, who is lying in the military hospital at Andermatt today, recovered sufficiently to make a statement wherein he confirmed that he was identical with the aviator who, on Friday afternoon, dropped thousands of anti-Fascist leaflets over Milan and that he had lost his direction back to Le Bourget aerodrome when pursued by Italian military 'planes which were sent up by the authorities as soon as the nature of the leaflets had been found out.

Bassanesi also stated that on his way from Paris to Milan he had landed at a small Swiss aerodrome near Bellinzona where he was supplied with the leaflets from a truck without exciting the suspicion of the aerodrome officials. Details regarding the truck, the printing-plant and the people who supplied the leaflets and financed the whole undertaking, Bassanesi refused to divulge.

Three Passports.

He also failed to account for the three passports bearing his picture but with different names which were discovered in the smashed 'plane.

The Swiss Press while expressing dislike of the idea that the country might in any way be drawn into the conflict between the Italian Government and the anti-Fascists, does not conceal its admiration of the sporting spirit and courage of the flyer who must have known that in case he was captured by the Italian authorities or for other reasons had to descend on Italian territory, his fate would have been sealed.

Threats Against the Swiss.

Rome, July 13.—The entire Press features the dropping of the "vicious" anti-Fascist leaflets over the city of Milan and the fate which subsequently overtook the pilot and which *Popolo d'Italia* says was "an act of God punishing a renegade." The paper further declares that this incident demonstrated anew that Paris is the hotbed of anti-Fascism and forecasts energetic diplomatic steps against both France and Switzerland because in the latter country the pilot was not only supplied with the leaflets but also with meteorological advice. Other papers utter unveiled threats against Switzerland, declaring that Italy will no longer tolerate the support accorded there to the anti-Fascist campaign.

JUDGE PITIES HUSBANDS.

"ONE INJUSTICE AFTER ANOTHER."

ANOMALIES OF THE LAW.

An action in which a wife sued her husband for damages for injuries received in a motoring accident caused Mr. Justice McCardie, in the King's Bench Division, to emphasise some of the anomalies that exist in the state of the law as between husbands and wives. He said:—

"I find privileges given to a wife which are wholly denied to a husband, and I find that upon a husband has fallen one injustice after another."

He hoped that before long the matter would receive the attention of Parliament and that existing obscurities of the law would be made clear and the present features of injustice removed.

Mr. Justice McCardie made his comments on the law while giving judgment in an action from Leeds Assizes, in which Dr. Harry Edelston, resident assistant medical officer at West Riding Mental Hospital, Wakefield, was sued by his wife for damages for the loss of her left eye in a motoring accident.

Before her marriage Mrs. Edelston was motoring with the doctor and it was alleged he had a collision through driving downhill at 25 miles an hour with lights dimmed.

It was stated the parties are happily married and the action was really against an insurance company.

Mr. Justice McCardie said the action called in striking fashion for a review of the legal results that followed marriage in England at the present time. Husbands were placed under burdens from which wives were free, and it seemed there was no method whatever which enabled a husband to recoup himself from his wife.

"Husband and wife are one in law" was written 300 years ago, and since then that doctrine of unity had led to innumerable complexities.

"I find it difficult," he said, "to see how the doctrine of unity can be said to operate at the present day. There is, of course, no physical unity save in the most limited and occasional sense. There is no mental unity in any just meaning of the word.

"Husband and wife have their individual outlook. They may belong to different political parties, to different schools of thought. The wife may be counsel in the court against her husband; the husband may be counsel against his wife." Nevertheless, there seemed to be a sound sociological basis for the view that in certain respects there should be a presumption of modified unity between husband and wife.

Mrs. Edelston's case was that the negligence of her husband before marriage gave her the right of action against him.

It was well settled that the wife has the widest powers of action for the protection and security of her separate property and for that purpose she could sue for breach of contract and tort. She could also claim an injunction in the most striking circumstances. But in his work "Husband and Wife," Mr. Justice Lush had pointed out that nowhere could the husband sue his wife for a tort in any circumstances whatsoever.

The Wife's Property.

The wife's remedies extended to all property she owned at the date of the marriage as well as to property gained from the marriage. Thus she could sue her husband for a debt due from him before marriage. Yet the husband had no right whatever to sue his wife for debts she owed him before marriage.

What the defendant did in this action, went on his lordship, was not to destroy or injure the plaintiff's property, but to infringe upon her right to personal safety. But that, he thought, was not her property in the normal sense of the word.

He considered this action was not for the protection and security of the wife's separate property and he therefore held that the claim was barred by the *Married Women's* Property Act.

On certain technical points the defendant was wrong. He was negligent and each party would therefore bear its own costs.

His lordship entered judgment for the defendant, without costs.

In the guise of rubber, dried fruits and carpets 38 cases of drugs, the commercial value of which is estimated at £120,000, have been discovered at Marseilles. Five of the cases had been smuggled on board the P. and O. liner Rajputana shortly before her departure for the Far East. The drugs had been brought to Marseilles from Turkey by an Italian vessel to be transhipped on to steamers proceeding to Saigon and Shanghai.

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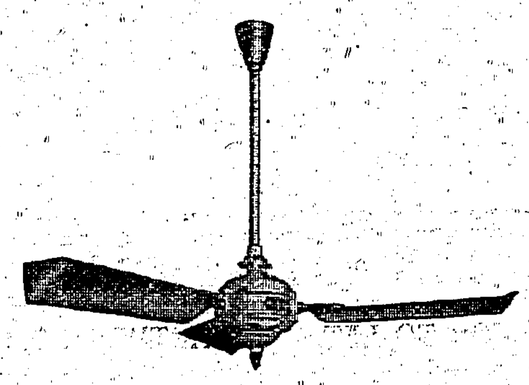

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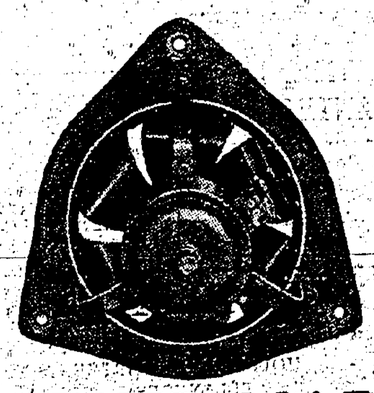

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So the fun went on, for the excellent programme extended till 10.30, when the last item on the programme was concluded. It will be interesting to know that Mr. Bartlett who rendered some difficult pieces so excellently last night is none other than the famous Dick Barty, who has, on so many occasions, sent the same listeners-in into roars of laughter with his humorous items, but last night our friend presented the more serious pieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Leib were heard for the first time by local radio fans, and they no doubt will look forward to hearing these two artistes again. Mrs. Leib has done much broadcasting with success in one of the B.B.C. studios at Home.

The whole thing went with a swing and Mr. L. Jeeves must have put the people on "the other end of the line" into very good humour with his two "turns," which were indeed extremely well rendered. Just before starting on his second item, Mr. Jeeves read a letter which he said was handed to him by the announcer, who had only received it that morning. As some of our readers might be able to help the poor writer of the letter to solve his problem, we publish the letter. It goes:—

Dear Wireless Comedians,

The whole of our family love to listen to you. Indeed, our set is only used when one or other of you is broadcasting, but recently we have had a most unusual experience. Our aerial runs from a chimney from the back of the house to a plum tree at the end of the garden. This year, with the coming of the spring, we found that the plum tree seemed quite unusual. Now that it is in full bloom, we are amazed to find that it is a plum tree no longer, but has turned into a chestnut tree! Can you explain this strange happening?—Yours truly,

LOVER OF VAUDEVILLE.

We might mention that Mr. Jeeves said he would be very happy indeed, to receive any letters in the morning!

The Programme.

The full programme of the concert was:—

1.—(a) Prelude and Fugue in C Minor (Bach), (b) Bourse (Bach); Mr. C. Dudley, pianoforte.
2.—(a) "Because I Were Shy" (Johnston), (b) "To Anthea" (Hallen); Mr. W. H. Bailey, baritone. Accompanist: W. R. Fleming.
3.—Mr. L. Jeeves. Entertainer.
4.—(a) "An Old Grey Town" (T. J. O'Reilly), (b) "The Dream Flower Tree" (Dorel); Mrs. G. R. Leib, mezzo-soprano. Accompanist: W. R. Fleming.
5.—(a) "Ninetta" (Brewer), (b) "I Shall be Waiting" (Wilcox); Mr. H. G. Annis, Tenor. Accompanist: C. Dudley Bartlett.
6.—(a) Gavette (Balfour Gardiner), (b) Egyptian Boating Song Cyril Scott), (c) Country Dance (Roger Quilter); Mr. C. Dudley Bartlett, pianoforte.
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8.—(a) "The Garden of Your Heart" (Dorel), (b) "The Voyagers" (W. Sanderson); Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Leib, vocal duets. Accompanist: W. R. Fleming.
9.—(a) "Delerosa" (Montague Philips), (b) "O Mistress Mine" (Roger Quilter); Mr. H. G. Annis, tenor. Accompanist: C. Dudley Bartlett.
10.—Mr. L. Jeeves. Entertainer.

God Save the King.

EXTRADITION CASE.

A WITNESS ARRESTED.

The case in which three Chinese who are wanted by the Canton authorities for the murder of Tam Yeung was continued before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at the Central Magistracy yesterday. The alleged crime was said to have occurred at Tai Foo Village, Nam Hoi District, near Fatshan on May 3, 1929.

Mr. H. Somerset Fitzroy, Assistant Attorney-General, appeared for the Crown, while Mr. Hin Shing Lo was for the defence.

At the outset of the hearing, Mr. Somerset Fitzroy informed his Lordship that Tam Kwai, the man who was detained by the Nam Hoi Magistrate, could not be sent down to Hong Kong to give evidence as he had been arrested, and will probably be charged as being a suspected bandit.

The case was adjourned.

THE PO LEUNG KUK.

H.E. THE GOVERNOR PAYS A VISIT.

NEW SITE PROPOSED.

Accompanied by Lady Peel and the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.B.E., C.M.G., visited the Po Leung Kuk yesterday morning where he was welcomed by the Board of Directors of the Institution.

His Excellency and party were received by the Hon. Sir Shou-son Chow, the senior Chinese member of the Legislative Council, who incidentally is also one of the permanent directors of the Po Leung Kuk, and Mr. Tam Woon Tong, the chairman of the board of directors, who presented the other members of the board to Sir William.

His Excellency Welcomed.

Mr. Tam Woon Tong, in welcoming H.E. the Governor, said:—

We are most grateful to your Excellency for this visit which is evidenced of the kindly interest your Excellency takes in the poor women and children, thus conferring great benefit on the community. We are also grateful to the Hon. Mr. A. E. Wood, the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, and to Lady Chow, Mrs. Kotewall and Mrs. Tso for their monthly visits, during which they impart to the inmates of the institution much valuable advice and guidance. To the permanent directors, too, our thanks are due for their unfailing assistance and co-operation.

In the performance of our duties, we have observed the rules and traditions of the institution. About three years ago realising the importance of giving the women and girls of the Po Leung Kuk, who generally come from the poorer classes and have not had any education, a chance of earning a livelihood when they leave the institution, Mrs. Southorn, in collaboration with Mrs. Kotewall, made arrangements for teaching them some handiwork. During these years Mrs. Kotewall has been assiduous in her attendance and in personally teaching the girls sewing and knitting.

My fellow directors and I are no less keen on this important work: we have recently engaged a lady teacher who comes in the day time to teach the girls sewing and knitting besides an elementary Chinese education. The twelve directors for the current year have, among themselves, subscribed $1,000 for the purchase of materials for the purpose, so that the funds of the institution need not be drawn upon. Though the lady teacher has been at work for only two months good result is already in evidence.

For some years the need of a more congenial and more spacious site for the Po Leung Kuk has been much felt, but unfortunately no suitable site could be found. However, the directors have recently found a piece of land on Leighton Hill Road which seems very suitable for the purpose, being easy of access and near to the Tung Wah Eastern Hospital. A plan of the site has been handed to the Hon. Secretary for Chinese Affairs who, I understand, has submitted it to your Excellency.

It is our earnest hope that your Excellency will be good enough to approve of the site at an early date, and also grant a sum of money to meet the cost of the building. The Po Leung Kuk has been in existence for over 30 years. Its good work is well-known in the Colony. The time has come when it should be developed and improved; but this desirable end could not be attained unless a building grant were made by the Government. The whole Chinese community would be everlastingly grateful for this assistance.

His Excellency's Speech.

In reply, His Excellency made a short speech which was translated into Chinese by the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G.

Sir William thanked the directors for their welcome and said he had been looking forward to visiting the institution of which he had heard so much. There are many similar institutions in Malaya, but they are more "official," whereas the Hong Kong Po Leung Kuk, like the Tung Wah and other Hospitals, are maintained chiefly through the private efforts of the Chinese community.

Continuing, His Excellency said that he had recently had the pleasure of reporting to the Secretary of State for the Colonies on the good work done by the Chinese, and the loyal work done by the leaders of the Chinese community. He was pleased to learn that the girls are taught sewing and knitting in the institution, and he can promise a visit soon from Lady Peel who was very much interested in needlework and tapestry. Lady Peel used to visit the Po Leung Kuk in Kuala

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Lumpur regularly, and he was quite sure that she would take the same keen interest in the Po Leung Kuk and other similar institutions in Hong Kong.

The Governor said that he could not express an opinion as regards the question of a new site, not having inspected the building yet. The Secretary for Chinese Affairs had pointed out to him the new site chosen, but he would not make any promises regarding same until he had had the views of his technical advisers. At any rate, the movement had his full sympathy and he would do all he could to help the directors to find a suitable new site.

Concluding, His Excellency thanked the directors in the name of the Government for all the good work they are doing.

Tea and refreshments were served during the morning.

CORRESPONDENCE.

CABARETS IN HONG KONG.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—Perhaps the following may help "Back Us" to understand why cabarets are not (possibly) for us:—

When Bacchus held high revel in his shrine,
His nymphs, in scanty garments, sang of wine,
And danced through Nysa's lime groves quite unchecked.
(Which reasonable people might expect).
Till Juno, jealous of that merry throng,
Decided everything was very wrong.
You'll find, friend "Back Us," scanning hist'ry's pages,
That episode repeated through the ages.
I give the hint, if you would seek the cause
Of these restraining, irritating laws—
(Which every man implicitly obeys!)—
"*Cherchez la femme*," but not in cabarets!*

—Yours, etc.,

"DUNO."

**P.S.*—I only use "cabarets" because "matsheds" doesn't rhyme with "obeys."

Hong Kong, July 18.

CONTROL OF SAVINGS BANKS.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—Through the medium of your columns, I trust I may be permitted to ventilate some grievances against the malpractices of some of the Savings Banks in Hong Kong.

As one of the many depositors who have sustained heavy losses in consequence of a recent failure, I have been looking closely into the inner workings of these banks and feel amazed at the fact that they can apparently play ducks and drakes with savings entrusted to the directors, without supervision by the Hong Kong Government.

It must be borne in mind that the bulk of the deposits are taken from the poor and aged, and manual labourers. In short, these savings constitute the proverbial widow's mite and hard earnings of the lower classes. How is it the Government have taken no effective measures to afford them protection?

As I understand it, the leading banks—like the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the Chartered Bank of Australia, India and China, and the National City of New York—have always taken the greatest precaution to see that funds from the Savings Department are well invested and secured against any contingency. In the case of the Chinese banks, however, my understanding is that the savings deposits are thrown in together with the general funds, and more often than not are diverted into channels for various speculations in exchange, property, and what not.

It is high time that there should be a protective measure requiring the registration of all Savings Banks, and providing that these deposits be invested in safe and sound securities, and not utilised for speculative purposes.

The Government should have authority to inspect the books and accounts of the Savings Banks from time to time, and if any infringement be detected, the delinquent would have to suffer the penalty of a heavy fine and indefinite suspension of business.—Yours, etc.,

VICTIMISED DEPOSITOR.

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If I Had a Girl Like You—Fox Trot CONNECTICUT YANKEES
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Ro-Ro-Rollin' Along—Fox Trot
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AMERICAN SEAMAN IN COURT.

SERIOUS ASSAULT ON A CHINESE WOMAN.

An American seaman, John Leal, was charged before Mr. R. E. Lindsell at Central Magistracy yesterday with assaulting a girl in a public house at No. 2, Spring Garden Lane.

The girl appeared in Court with blackened eyes and swollen lips. She was the victim of what the police described as a "most serious assault."

When charged, Leal said he was under the influence of liquor and could not remember what happened. He later admitted the assault.

The police stated that owing to the condition of the girl it had not been possible to obtain a statement from her. The girl told the court that she was assaulted by defendant when she did not fall in with certain suggestions made by him.

Defendant was fined $25 or 14 days hard labour in default and ordered to pay $10 compensation or a further 10 days' imprisonment.

BAG-SNATCHER CAUGHT.

FINE WORK BY UNKNOWN PORTUGUESE.

Mrs. A. Rey of Nanking Street was the complainant in a case against a Chinese, who was charged in connection with a bag-snatching incident in Nathan Road on Thursday night. The defendant, who was charged before Mr. Whyte-Smith at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour and also ordered to receive 24 strokes of the birch.

Detective-Inspector C. P. Fallon told his Worship that the complainant, together with a lady friend, was walking along Nathan Road in the Yaumati District at about 8 o'clock on Thursday night. The defendant came up from behind and snatched the bag from Mrs. Rey. He then ran away but was caught by a Portuguese gentleman.

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INDIAN OVERSEER SUMMONED.

CHINESE CLAIMS FIVE MONTHS WAGES.

Claiming that a sum of $250 was due to him as five months' wages, Cheng Tak Ming took out a summons against Karam Din, an Indian overseer employed by the Spanish procuration, the case being heard by Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

The complainant conducted his own case, while the defendant was represented by Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remedios.

The complainant stated that in November last, Karam Din became acquainted with the complainant's father, who owned a shop in 16, Shanghai Street. He promised to employ the defendant at a salary of $50 per month.

Continuing, the complainant said that he was paid $50 for each of the first two months that he was employed. These sums were handed to his father by the defendant. Thereafter the defendant had not paid him his wages, although complainant and his father had demanded payment repeatedly. The last payment, said complainant, was made on January 24, and he finally waited till June 24, when he resigned.

Cross-examined by Mr. Remedios, the complainant said that he clearly understood that he was employed by the defendant and not by the Spanish Procuration. He denied that he was taken on by the defendant for the purpose of being trained up as an apprentice foreman, and that as such he was to receive no wages until he was proficient.

The complainant did not agree with Mr. Remedios that the two sums of $50 was paid to his father for provisions supplied to defendant.

The case was adjourned.

ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE HOLDS BAZAAR.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR PERFORMS OPENING CEREMONY.

EFFORT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR BUILDING EXTENSION.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.B.E., C.M.G., yesterday officially opened the bazaar arranged by the pupils of St. Paul's College. The weather prevented the College from making use of its grounds and the ceremony had to be held indoors, but notwithstanding this everything was carried out successfully.

GOVERNOR'S HAPPY SPEECH.

The students of the school arranged a dozen stalls in which many useful things were sold, most of which were supplied by local firms. The articles offered for sale were very neatly set out in small stalls inside the building, and behind each counter there were many willing attendants all keenly alert.

There were also a number of side shows which were well patronised, and visitors were attracted by the shooting gallery, the fish ponds, the loop-la, etc. Most of these would have been held on the grounds of the school had weather conditions permitted.

Tea was supplied on the premises, most of the cakes and sandwiches being provided by the members of the V.D.M.A. The crockery was supplied by Messrs. Lane, Crawford, Limited.

His Excellency arrived shortly after 4 p.m. The College Boy Scouts formed a guard of honour, and at the entrance he was met by the officials of the school. His Excellency was accompanied by Lady Peel. Among those present were Sir Joseph Kemp, Hon. Dr. S. W. Tso, Rev. A. E. Martin, and Mr. P. S. Cassidy.

Dr. Tso Welcomes His Excellency.

The Hon. Dr. Tso, addressing the gathering, said:—Your Excellency, Ladies and Gentlemen,—To-day will be marked in the annals of St. Paul's College as a red letter day because of the honour which your Excellency and Lady Peel have done us by coming here to-day. We are very grateful to your Excellency in consenting to open our bazaar, the object of which is to raise funds to help the extension of the building. On behalf of the College Council and the members of committee in charge of the extension of the building I tender you and Lady Peel our heartiest welcome.

Before I ask you, Sir, to declare this bazaar open, I will ask Mr. A. D. Stewart to say a few words. Mr. Stewart has been the principal of this school until quite recently. All the successes which this college has attained were entirely due to his work. Although he has cast the mantle of leadership upon the shoulders of his brother, Mr. E. G. Stewart, who was his great lieutenant, we know he will not rest until the College has got the extension scheme completed. He is always helping us by taking a deep interest in the College.

Mr. A. D. Stewart's Speech.

Mr. Stewart said:—

Your Excellency, Ladies and Gentlemen,—There is no need for me to dilate on the object of our bazaar. It must be already clear to all that we have a two-fold object which is really one, namely to find another residence for the Bishop of Victoria in order that the school may invade his premises. How much we shall need for the completion of our scheme it is impossible to say, but it will probably be not far short of one hundred thousand dollars, towards which we now have in hand, and in premises, something over thirty thousand dollars, and we hope that this bazaar will materially increase that amount.

I should like to voice the Bazaar Committee's grateful thanks to His Excellency the Governor and Lady Peel for so kindly coming here this afternoon. The very promise of their coming has proved a real incentive to all concerned, to make this effort as successful as possible. Our grateful thanks are also due to the Colonel and officers of the Somerset Light Infantry for kindly giving us the services of the Band this afternoon. Unfortunately the weather has very literally damped our plans and what was intended for a garden fete will have to be held indoors.

We must also gratefully acknowledge the kindness of the many firms and shops in the Colony, too many to enumerate now, which have so liberally contributed to the supplying of our stalls with articles of every sort and description, all of them useful and attractive and most saleable.

I think it is well worth while putting on record, as a further proof of the well-known generosity of Hong Kong firms that, at such a time of exceptional trade depression we should have had such a ready and generous response to our appeal. How many firms have been approached I cannot at the moment say exactly, but the number is quite considerable, including as it does the firms of at least six nationalities, and in no case did we meet with a refusal. That, I think speaks well for the generosity of Hong Kong.

With regard to our arrangements I might mentioned that the entertainments planned for last night and the night before have had to be postponed to Monday and Tuesday of next week.

To-morrow afternoon the bazaar will continue from 4 o'clock when there will be some items of music and a short display by the Tenth Troop of Hong Kong Cubs at 5 p.m.

I should like to call your attention to one stall which offers to parcel up your purchases and send them to any address for a small fee. Thus you will not be obliged to stager home under the heavy load of your purchases.

You will find tea served in various rooms under the management of many willing helpers.

A bazaar is usually a troublesome and vexatious affair but it has anyway one redeeming feature, and that is it reveals how much goodness of heart there is in the world. This bazaar is the outcome of much generosity and kindness on the part of many. It has involved much hard work cheerfully given. It is not a thing that one wants to repeat at frequent intervals but it is something to look backward to with feelings of gratitude and thankfulness.

H.E. Opens the Bazaar.

His Excellency in declaring the bazaar open, said:—Dr. Tso, Mr. Stewart, Ladies and Gentlemen,—It gives me very great pleasure to declare this bazaar open this afternoon. I do not propose to detain you very long. The chief object of a bazaar is not to give an opportunity for making long speeches but to get as much money and to get it as quickly as possible for a deserving cause.

I had an opportunity of reading an account of the proceedings on the occasion of the celebration of the eightieth anniversary of this institution. I was very interested in the history of it. The history was so well set out on that occasion that it would be superfluous for me to cover the same ground for I imagine that most of your are better acquainted with it than I am.

This year is a very notable year for the institution for it is not only the eightieth anniversary of its original foundation but also the twenty-first year of its life as a school. I understand that on two occasions an attempt was made to change it to a theological training institution but it would appear that its *metier* is really that of a school. That it has achieved such great success in that capacity is almost entirely due, I can say, to the Stewart family, who have given their services very encouragingly and unselfishly. The evidence of that success is to be found in the fact that the members have increased from 16 in 1909 to over 400 in the present year.

Although it may be described as rather a useful parent, it has, I understand a healthy and promising offspring who emulate the admirable example of their parent by doing very excellent work in various parts of the Colony. I think it will be conceded from the facts that you know that a good case has been made out for the extension of the premises, and it is for the purpose of earning money to swell the funds required to carry out this extension that this bazaar is being held.

I noticed that in his speech last March, Mr. Southorn pointed out that it was usual on the occasion of one's coming of age to make a special gift. I thoroughly endorse that suggestion and I now ask you to come forward and give as much as you can according to your capacity and generosity. In doing so you will have the satisfaction of knowing that you are giving material help to an institution that has given material help to the Colony. I have much pleasure in declaring this bazaar open. (Applause.)

The bazaar will be open again this afternoon from 4 p.m.

"IRONSIDES" LEADER RETIRES.

"A TOTAL STRANGER TO DEFEAT."

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 18.

The Canton Government claims to-day that Chang Fat Fui, the leader of the notorious "Ironsides," has retired, owing to the series of crushing defeats at the hands of General Chen Tsai Tong's men in Southern Hunan. He is reported to be chagrined, discouraged and heart-broken because of his repeated failure to attain his object. His two able subordinates, Divisional Commanders Liang Chung Hsi and Liang Kwok Tsoi, fell in action, thus causing him further grief. His remnants, according to the Government report, do not number more than 1,200. These have been incorporated with the army of Divisional Commander Hsu Chung Wu, a subordinate of General Wong Shiu Hung.

In his circular telegram announcing his resignation, Chang Fat Fui is reported to have stated that he has been leading an army for the past 10 years. During that period he had fought numerous battles in various parts of China, always emerging on the victorious side. He had never met an enemy whom he could not crush. Up to last year, when he had to pitch himself against the mighty gunboats of Admiral Chen Chak and the bombing aeroplanes of General Chen Tsai Tong, he was a total stranger to defeat, but evidently times had changed, the leader of the "Ironsides" is reported to have said.

NANKING OFFENSIVE AGAINST KWANGSI.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 18.

The pro-Nanking forces in Kwangsi are preparing for another offensive against the remnants of the Kwangsi troops. The Kwei River above Wuchow is being blockaded. An aerial squadron, consisting of some ten planes, left Canton for Wuchow this morning to participate in the coming offensive.

COMMUNIST BANDITS PLUNDER CITY.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 18.

The Communists and outlaws in the East River districts have of late become very active plundering and looting.

During the early part of this week they suddenly swooped upon Iu Ping city, killing over 20 soldiers and a number of employees of the Iu Ping Magistracy. The guards of the city were taken completely unaware.

These desperadoes, over 600 in number, entered the city at dawn without meeting any active resistance. The small number of Government troops defending the city were easily overpowered. Over half were killed outright, and the rest fled in disguise.

The Magistrate of the district, Mr. Chen Lui Chaw, barely escaped with his life.

After the Government garrison was destroyed, the bandits systematically ransacked every shop in the city. Everything of value was taken. The Magistracy was also looted, and numerous documents of the greatest importance were taken. Many innocent merchants were killed after their shops had been ransacked. Over 30 merchants were kidnapped. The bandits made good their escape.

THE NEW TERRITORIES.

TO-DAY'S MEETING.

Members of the General Committee of the New Territories' Agricultural Association are reminded of the meeting at 2.45 to-day at Tung Ying Hok Po (Sir Robert Ho Tung's experimental farm at Shung-chun). Arrangements have been made by Lady Ho Tung to serve tea after the business of the meeting has been disposed of.

The items on the agenda include matters concerning the Agricultural Association, the establishment of a co-operative credit system of farming, and arrangements in connection with the coming annual agricultural show.

GENERAL LUI'S ASSASSIN.

EXECUTION AT CANTON.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 18.

Fung Ming Shing, the assassin of General Lui Woon Im, Governor of Kwangsi and Vice-Commander of the 8th Military Route, paid the extreme penalty yesterday afternoon on the execution ground in the north-eastern suburb of the city.

The assassin met his death without the slightest fear. In fact, he was shouting all sorts of reactionary slogans on the way, saying that his act was for the good of China and of the Kuomintang! He vehemently denounced the Canton authorities and the family of General Lui, whose life he had taken, for putting him to death.

The execution was witnessed by the members of the family of the late General Lui, who wanted to make sure that the assassin died. Two rifle and three automatic shots were fired at the condemned man.

MACAO CLOTH FACTORY'S CLAIM.

AGENCY ISSUE INVOLVED.

Several rolls of cloth were brought to the Summary Court yesterday when the Chung Ah Co., of 19, Jervois Road, was sued by the Chung Ah Weaving Factory at Macao for the recovery of $418.47 for goods sold and delivered. Both parties were legally represented, Mr. J. T. Prior appearing for the plaintiff and Mr. F. C. E. Rendall for the defendant.

Outlining plaintiff's case, Mr. Prior said that the issue between the parties was whether the defendant acted as agent in Hong Kong for the plaintiff firm, which he understood was the defence. This was denied by the plaintiff, who had the Fook Kee firm acting for them as agent, and he claimed that the goods were sold to the defendant.

Since the writ was issued, Mr. Prior continued, the defendant has paid into Court the sum of $232.47, and has offered to return the unsold rolls of cloth.

Plaintiff's manager gave evidence of entering into business dealings in February this year with representatives of the defendant firm who visited Macao.

Witness agreed with Mr. Rendall that it was arranged that payments could be made by the defendant to the Fook Kee, but he denied that after a certain date the goods were consigned to the defendant for sale on behalf of the plaintiff. He also denied that defendant was appointed as agent owing to the similarity in names.

After several other witnesses had been called, his Lordship said that he was satisfied that the defendant acted as an agent for the sale of the goods. In view of this his Lordship directed that measurements of the cloth on hand be taken to the satisfaction of both parties. Saturday next was fixed in chambers for arriving at the terms of judgment.

ESTATE OF A FORMER BORNEO GOVERNOR.

MR. HUMPHREYS LEAVES LOCAL PROPERTY.

Estate in Hong Kong worth $6,500 was left by the late Mr. John Lisseter Humphreys, C.M.G., C.B.E., a former Governor of British North Borneo. Letters of administration of the will and codicil have been granted locally on behalf of Mr. Charles Macaskie, of Sandakan, Eastern executor appointed by the will.

Testator left all his property and personal effects, including those at Government House, North Borneo, to his sister Christine (Mrs. G. P. Mills), of 170, Hagley Road, Edgbaston, and she is directed to make suitable gifts to other members of the family. A codicil bequeaths his books to his brother, Humphrey.

Mr. Humphreys was on a tour of China last December when he contracted a chill and died in hospital at Tientsin. He was a keen golfer and has played in Shanghai and Malaya. Last year he stayed for some time at Fanling, where he returned creditable scores, and before leaving he gave a trophy for annual competition.

DANISH VESSEL IN TYPHOON.

MICHAEL JEBSEN'S TRYING EXPERIENCE.

SHIPWRECKED CHINESE PICKED UP IN MID OCEAN.

When the s.s. Michael Jebsen (Danish) arrived in port from Bangkok and Swatow yesterday, the master, Capt. H. Ipland, made a report to the Harbour Master to the effect that his vessel ran right into the centre of a typhoon while on the high seas.

The captain states that whilst his ship was at anchor, in mid-ocean, apparently taking refuge, they got the full force of the gale and all on board passed many an anxious moment. They were fortunate enough in weathering the storm, but more thrills were in store for them after they resumed the voyage, as a Chinese male was picked up in mid-ocean, clinging perilously to a piece of board, and struggling for his life. The rescued man said he was a member of the crew of a fishing junk which had capsized, and after being made comfortable and given a change of clothing, he was taken ashore by the Customs Boarding Officer at Hoihow.

Capt. Ipland's report was as follows:—

"July 11 strong S.W. winds obviously caused by a typhoon reported to be west of Central Hainan.

"Later the typhoon reported to be in different positions in the Gulf of Tonkin and moving N.W. and N.

"July 14 at 3.45 p.m. in Phulien Obs. reported typhoon to be in 20 deg. N. 109 deg. E., moving N.

"5.20 p.m.-7.40 p.m. at anchor in 20 deg. 09' N. 110 deg. 38' E. The centre of the typhoon passed over the ship between 6.40 p.m. and 7.40 p.m. on an easterly track through Hainan Strait. Winds changed from S.E. to N.W. of typhoon force. Barometer 735.5 lowest reading.

"July 15 at 2 a.m. picked up a Chinese Kwee Hoa Mue, age 44, from Lim Kor district (Kiungchow) who came drifting alongside. Said to be from a shipwrecked Chinese junk. The man was later taken ashore by the Hoihow Customs Boarding Officer."

THIEF CAUGHT BY CLERGYMAN.

REV. MACKENZIE'S FLAT ENTERED.

The story of an unsuccessful attempt to burgle the first floor of 13, Peking Building, the residence of the Rev. A. J. MacKenzie, was told to Mr. Whyte-Smith at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. The burglar was trying to open some drawers, when the Rev. MacKenzie woke up and gave chase.

The defendant emphatically denied the charge of being found on the premises with intent to commit a felony.

According to Mr. MacKenzie, it was about 4 a.m. on July 13 when he awoke and discovered a man in his bedroom, trying to open a drawer. He called out to the intruder, who then rushed out of the room into the lobby.

Arriving at the lobby, Mr. MacKenzie found that the thief had climbed out of the window on to the ledge. He got hold of the man, and then shouted for the houseboy who arrived a few moments later. On being taken back to the house, the thief tried to escape by wriggling out of his singlet.

After the intruder had been turned over to the houseboy, there was a struggle between the two. The boy was bitten by the thief and he lost hold of his man.

Running away for the second time, the thief ran into the bathroom, with the Rev. MacKenzie and the houseboy following. Finding there was no outlet, he ran along the corridor towards the back porch. Here the man slipped over the balustrade and dropped into the street below. The Police, however, had arrived at this moment, and an Indian sergeant caught hold of him.

Detective-Sergeant Kellett told his Worship that a sharp pocket-knife was found on defendant. He thought that the man was probably a pickpocket. It was also stated that the thief had been in hospital since his arrest, due to a cut in his head.

Sentence of six months' hard labour was passed.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES ORDINANCE 1911-1921 AND IN THE MATTER OF THE CHINA LAND & INVESTMENT CO., LTD. (IN LIQUIDATION)

PURSUANT to Section 181 of the Companies Ordinance 1911, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that A MEETING of CREDITORS of the above-named Company will be held at the Offices of Messrs. PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, 6, DES VOEUX ROAD, CENTRAL, Hong Kong, at 12.30 p.m. on THURSDAY, 7TH AUGUST, 1930.

At This Meeting the Creditors will be asked to determine whether an Application shall be made to the Court for the appointment of any person as Liquidator in the place of or jointly with myself, the Liquidator appointed by the Company, or for the appointment of a Committee of Inspection.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the CREDITORS of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 30TH AUGUST NEXT, to send in their Names and Addresses and particulars of their debts or Claims, and the Names and Addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to SYDNEY HAMPDEN ROSS, of Messrs. PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, the Liquidator of the Company; and, if so required by Notice in Writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their debts or Claims, at such time and place as shall be specified in such Notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any Distribution made before such Debts are proved.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1930.

S. HAMPDEN ROSS, Liquidator.

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NOTICE.

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED From SATURDAY, 9TH AUGUST, 1930, To SATURDAY, 16TH AUGUST, 1930, both Days inclusive

By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. L. KING, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 17th July, 1930. [9652

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The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 31ST JULY, to THURSDAY, the 7TH AUGUST (Both Days inclusive), during which period No Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

L. S. GREENHILL, Secretary.

Hong Kong 17th July, 1930. [9655

NOTICE.

THE HONG KONG ELECTRIC CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Certificate No. 12233 for 50 Shares Nos. 391629/391678 issued in the Name of MOK KING TAK has been declared LOST and should the same not be produced before the 22nd JULY, 1930, it shall be deemed CANCELLED and of NO EFFECT.

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Hong Kong, 7th July, 1930. [9625

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All Shareholders are therefore requested to send their Share Certificates to the Registered Office of the Company at ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, VICTORIA, in the Colony of HONG KONG, forthwith so that the New Share Certificates may be prepared and issued to them in lieu of the Certificates now held by them which will be Cancelled.

By Order of the Board,

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Hong Kong, 20th June, 1930. [9621

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WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 6 p.m., stated:—

A depression covers S.W. China. A typhoon has formed to the S.E. of Guam.

Local Forecast:—S.W. winds, moderate; overcast with rain at first; improving later.

TYPHOON WARNING.

The following typhoon warning has been received by the American Consulate-General from the Manila Observatory:—

Manila, July 19, 2.50 p.m.—Cyclone or typhoon E.S.E. of Guam direction unknown.

BIRTHS.

HAMILL.—On July 13, at Chang-Wah-Pang, Woosung, to MARIE, wife of VINCENT S. HAMILL, a daughter.

SMEDLEY.—On July 10, at Tsingtau, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. SMEDLEY, twin daughters.

MARRIAGES.

BURGESS—COTTAM.—On June 16, at St. Martin-in-the-Fields, W.C.2, Dr. HENRY BURGESS, Whitchurch, Salop, to ENID (Poppy) COTTAM, youngest daughter of the late J. P. COTTAM, of Hong Kong, and Mrs. COTTAM, of 1, Westmount-road, Eltham Park.

CARLES—BLAKE.—On June 19, at All Saints' Merriott, CHARLES WYNDHAM, eldest son of the late W. R. CARLES, C.M.G., and Mrs. CARLES, of Pangbourne, to DOROTHY FLORENCE, youngest daughter of ROBERT BLAKE, J.P., of Mark's Barn, Crewkerne.

HASHAGEN-LOWRY.—On July 12, in Shanghai, by Judge Milton D. Purdy, HARRY O. HASHAGEN to HELEN A. LOWRY.

SAVILL—THORNE.—On June 23, at The Chapel of the Savoy, Strand, LYDALL, son of Sir EDWIN, and Lady SAVILL, to MARGARET, only daughter of the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE THORNE, of Johore, and Mrs. THORNE.

DEATHS.

BRITTO.—On July 14, at Shanghai, BRUNO DE BRITTO, aged 8 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. F. M. DE BRITTO.

GRANT.—On July 7, at Leeds, England, Mrs. E. GRANT, mother of Mrs. J. S. S. COOPER.

MOLLY.—On June 18, at Victoria, B.C., EDMUND MOLLOY (formerly Chinese Maritime Customs Service), aged 77 years.

SIMS.—On July 12, at Shanghai, DON FRANK SIMS, aged 1 year, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. SIMS.

SMITH.—On June 22, at The Hermitage, Marlborough, Wilts, JOHNSON MALLETT DE BERNIERE SMITH, aged 78, formerly of China and Japan Trading Co.

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SOME CHINESE PUZZLES EXPLAINED.

IT is a baffling business trying to trace the ramifications of Chinese politics. Many Europeans who start with a really earnest and sincere desire to follow the development of affairs in China closely and intelligently abandon their quest in despair after a brief but desperate battle against overwhelming odds. First comes an array of personal names exasperatingly alike in their romanised form; next a series of fine political distinctions, much more difficult to appreciate than those dividing the parties in European countries. Further, an extraordinary condition of domestic unrest and turmoil, in which groups of armed men move about the country with no apparent object but to secure for their leaders control over certain highly remunerative—and therefore greatly coveted—sources of revenue. And finally, a maze of intrigue, graft, and corruption, resulting in an astounding turning of coats, repudiated pledges, and withering betrayal of seemingly sacred causes and of apparently life-long loyalties. All these factors make the study of contemporary Chinese politics so appallingly difficult that many who would like to become intelligent observers of current events abandon the effort in despair and disgust.

Any book which throws light upon any section of a complicated situation is therefore exceedingly welcome to those foreigners who are interested in watching the great crisis through which China is passing, and has been passing for the last twenty years. It may be another twenty years before anything like unity and stability is established throughout the great Republic—and perhaps not even then. Thirteen years have passed since the revolution in Russia, where the party in power has a hundred times the authority ever exercised by the Chinese Government since 1911. As a matter of fact, the real process of revolution in China does not go back so far; not revolutionaries or reformers but men with the peculiar mental outlook of the old-time mandarins and militarists have posed as leaders of the revolution, with the disastrous consequences to be seen throughout the country to-day. It will be many years before the situation becomes sufficiently settled to allow a foreign observer clearly to appreciate the real meaning of the struggle for control of the Central Administration. That being so, an account of what has been and is now going on, written by a man who is in close touch with political affairs, is of very great interest.* Mr. TANG makes no secret of the fact that he is no admirer of the present Nanking *régime*, nor does he attempt to deceive the reader into believing that his reading of past events and forecast of future ones is an absolutely unbiassed one. He quite frankly admits to making no claim to be regarded as an impartial historian, but he does claim to have tried to be strictly accurate with his facts. His deductions and his forecasts are his own, and more than that none can reasonably expect from any man attempting to outline so intricate and shadowy a subject.

Possibly many who read, in the daily reports of Chinese political activities, references to the Left Wing of the Kuomintang imagine that this group is in close contact with Moscow, and possibly sharing in that largely apocryphal stream of "Bolshevik gold" which is believed by some well-meaning people to explain every expression of social unrest in every part of the world. Mr. TANG has taken considerable pains to show that the Left Wing of the Kuomintang has no connection whatever with Communism, either Chinese or Russian. The Left aims at restoring to the masses their rightful position in the traditional social hierarchy, which placed them above merchants and soldiers. The Left stands for revolutionary settlement of national liberation, but for the reformist method of dealing with social and economic questions. Instead of a personal dictatorship—such as is now alleged to exist—the Left stands for dictatorship of the Party, but only as a preliminary to popular representation. The apparent similarity of aim and methods between the Communists and the Left Wing of the Kuomintang—according to Mr. TANG—is more superficial than real. There is a sharp distinction between the two. The Kuomintang—be it as Left as one cares to imagine it—wants to live in peace with all other nations and is not anti-foreign—save in the respect that it wishes to obtain a revision of all treaties which hamper Chinese self-expression. The real Communist regards the Chinese revolution as merely a part of the world revolution; the Left Wing of the Kuomintang is concerned with national—rather than international—warfare, and the securing for the Chinese masses of their proper status in the social system.

Mr. TANG's point of view is that of a man intensely interested in the realisation of the ideals and principles of the revolution, as interpreted by SUN YAT SEN. Many of our readers will be familiar with the principal events described in the book, though this does not detract from its interest. On the contrary, the more familiar the reader is with the early history of the revolution—and even pre-revolution days—the more interesting are Mr. TANG's illuminating sidelights upon the situation, or, as he calls it, the "inner history" of those days and events. Coming down to more recent happenings, the author definitely takes the view that the present Nanking *régime* is doomed, and that it is only a matter of time before the Left leaders who are now taking refuge in places where the Chinese Government cannot reach them will be able to take their places again at the head of the movement for the reconstruction of China. Mr. TANG's book explains some very puzzling features of the political situation, and—whether or not one agrees with his deductions—it must be admitted he has written a most interesting and informative book. Confident though he is of the ultimate success of the Left Wing, he confesses that the immediate prospect gives no ground for excessive optimism. Yet he thinks there is no cause for despair, "for if recent revolutionary history in China has taught us anything, it is the irresistibility of the democratic tide, and the power of enlightened public opinion, which cannot be exasperated indefinitely with impunity."

**The Inner History of the Chinese Revolution*: By TANG LEANG LI.—Messrs. Routledge, London; price 15s.

GREAT BRITAIN'S REPLY TO FRANCE.

VERY guarded is the tone of the British answer to M. BRIAND's proposal for establishing what has been called the United States of Europe. Great Britain would like to see closer political relations between the nations of Europe, but is doubtful about the reaction of such federation upon the League of Nations, which covers so much wider a field. Moreover, M. BRIAND is reminded that such a plan as he suggests would require most careful and prolonged discussion between the British and Dominion Governments. In short, Britain's attitude is sympathetic, but ——. This represents the view of most of the nations which have given M. BRIAND an answer to his memorandum. Although the French Foreign Office has refused to divulge the tenor of any of the official replies received, it is understood that the majority of the Powers, under the cloak of general approval with "conditions," have re-opened old sores and probed new wounds, which would frighten any man less hardy than the French Foreign Minister.

Germany has attached conditions to her approval which, if accepted by France, would constitute an opening wedge into the revision of the Treaty of Versailles. Germany's terms, it is understood, are severe and serious, while her former allies are no less insistent upon the rectification of certain alleged ills which, if adjusted, would practically abolish the Versailles Treaty. The neutralization of the Danzig corridor, in order to allow Germany free communication between Prussia and the remainder of Germany, is understood to be one of the suggestions the German Foreign Office has made to France as a condition to her approval.

Germany's second condition seeks special economic privileges in trading with Poland, to which France could never agree without raising angry protests from her Eastern allies. Then there is the vexed question of the Saar basin, over which a Franco-German Commission had been meeting in Paris for months until the recent complete deadlock. The Germans consider the French demands excessive, especially the strings which France wishes to attach to the return of the mines. It is believed Germany is attempting to get France to reduce her demands in return for Germany's approval of the BRIAND federation scheme. Germany's former allies fear that M. BRIAND's plan will put the stamp of *status quo* upon the present political arrangement in Europe, and make more difficult the future unburdening of some of their ills begot at Versailles. Hungary, it is understood, has officially approved the plan, but with the reservation that the federation be not based upon maintenance of the political *status quo* in Europe.

Generally, it might be said that the plan has the whole-hearted support of Denmark, Norway and Sweden, while Poland and the Little Entente—Roumania, Czecho-Slovakia and Yugo-Slavia—will naturally follow the lead of France. Greece, Bulgaria, Austria, Switzerland, Belgium, and Holland are considered well disposed toward the plan, while Great Britain is not over-enthusiastic. It now appears that practically all the 26 nations appealed to will, either eagerly or cautiously, approve the principle of the plan, leaving the road wide open for serious political bargaining at Geneva in September when the League Assembly meets.

★ *News and Views* ★

The reduction in Suez Canal rates to take effect on September 1 should be particularly welcome to shipping in these depressed times. The transit dues on loaded vessels, which have been reduced on several occasions within the last few years are to be lowered by 25c. to 6.65f. The rate for vessels in ballast will be 3.32½f. per ton, as compared with 4.40f. at present. This reduction will benefit oil-tank vessels which proceed from Europe to the East in ballast, and particularly the large fleet of the British Tanker Company. This company was individually the largest user of the Canal last year, and only ranked second to the P. and O. and other companies associated with the P. & O. group. It is estimated that, on the basis of last year's traffic, the reductions of September next would mean, in the course of 12 months, a decline in the revenue of nearly 50,000,000 paper francs. So far this year the earnings of the Canal Company are much below those for the corresponding period of 1929. Difficulties in the Indian, Australian, and China trades have no doubt contributed to the lower receipts.

Lieutenant Alford Williams, the American naval flying ace and Schneider Trophy flier, bade farewell to the U.S. Navy recently by giving a spectacular flying exhibition over the naval base at Anacostia. Lieutenant Williams has resigned from the Navy owing to the decision of the Navy Department to assign him to sea-going duty. He maintained that sea duty would interfere with his high-speed flying experiments. Rising to a height of several thousand feet, Lieutenant Williams turned his machine upside down, and gave an exhibition of inverted flying at speed. The display reached a climax when the flier gave a thrilling performance of the "falling leaf" manœuvre. He fluttered from a height of 3,000 feet to within a few hundred feet of the ground before flattening out. Lieutenant Williams was to have participated in the Schneider Trophy contest in England last year, but a series of accidents to his racing machine prevented him from leaving for England in time. He will devote his time to experimental flying, and may engage in future Schneider Trophy races as a private flier.

★ *Local Notes and Events* ★

Yesterday's health return shows two non-Chinese cases and one Chinese case of typhoid fever.

It is notified that a meeting of creditors of the China Land and Investment Co., Ltd. (in liquidation), will be held at the offices of Messrs. Percy Smith, Seth & Fleming on Thursday, August 7, at 12.30 p.m. The official notice appears elsewhere in our columns.

After several months on sick leave at Home, Inspector L. P. Lane of the H.K. Police has returned to the Colony and his many friends will be glad to learn that he is fully restored to health. Inspector Lane will be stationed in the Hunghom station where he will be in charge.

At the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, Mr. Whyte-Smith imposed a sentence of three months' hard labour on a young Chinese, who pleaded guilty to the charge of stealing $1 from the pocket of a pedestrian in Wing Shing Lane. The lad had a previous conviction for a similar offence.

Warfare of a new kind engages Clara Bow and Richard Arlen in "Ladies of the Mob," their first picture together since this pair was featured in Paramount's great epic of the air, "Wings." In "Ladies of the Mob," which is now showing at the Majestic Theatre, Kowloon, Arlen and Miss Bow are cast as a gunman and his wife.

While the s.s. Chiden Chow was on her way from Macao, a Chinese passenger attempted suicide by jumping overboard, but immediately the alarm was given, a boat was lowered under the charge of the Chief Officer, Mr. Innes, and after a search occupying some 15 minutes in a rough sea, the man was rescued, suffering from the effects of his immersion.

Sir Peter Grain, who has arrived from Shanghai, will sit at the Full Court of Appeal with the Chief Justice (Sir Joseph Kemp) and Mr. Justice Wood. The Full Court will sit on Monday to hear two local appeal cases.

Members and subscribers of the Hong Kong Cricket Club will be "at home" to their friends on Thursday evening, July 31, when the band of the Somerset Light Infantry will give a concert on the Cricket Ground, commencing at 6.30 p.m.

Whilst a Chinese constable was in the act of arresting a street hawker, another Chinese tried to prevent him from doing so, and would have succeeded but for the timely arrival of a district watchman. Both men were taken into custody and when brought before the Kowloon Magistrate yesterday for obstructing the Police, the second man was fined $25.

Something unusual in the way of entertainment is promised at the Queen's Theatre shortly, when some well-known artists, comprising the "Montmatre Follies," will be giving performances in conjunction with the regular programme feature. The company has just been engaged, and will be due in Hong Kong as soon as their season in Shanghai is completed. Further particulars will be made known at a later date.

Ten strokes of the cane was ordered by Mr. Lindsell yesterday when a boy appeared before him on a charge of stealing a portion of a water meter. It was stated that the Government have been troubled recently by the theft of over a hundred indices from water meters and they believed it was the work of a gang. "We had honed for something bigger than this" said a P.W.D. official when he prosecuted the diminutive defendant yesterday.

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. Stanley William Coleman, Peninsula Hotel, to Miss Olga Baker-Sadler, Airlie House, Kowloon.

On their re-appearance before the Kowloon Magistrate yesterday, two men and a woman, who were charged with kidnapping a small boy from Shamshuipo, were discharged. Detective-Sergt. Meadows offered no evidence against them, and mentioned that the Police had been unable to connect them with the kidnapping.

Looking Back 25 Years.

When the Criminal Sessions were called yesterday there were no cases for trial. After the Chief Justice (Sir F. T. Piggott) had taken his seat the Attorney-General (Sir H. S. Berkeley) said:—"May it please your Lordship, I have great pleasure in announcing to your Lordship that there are no cases for trial at this Assizes. And I have to offer my congratulations to your Lordship and to the community on the fact that the peace of the Colony should be such as to call for no occasion for troubling the inhabitants thereof."—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, July 19, 1905.

Looking Back 50 Years.

Yesterday the Merchant Shipping Consolidation Ordinance came into operation for the first time, and there was some difficulty in granting clearances to several steamers, owing to there being no Government Surveyor to grant the necessary certificates. Several merchant captains, accompanied by Captain Thomas, went up to His Excellency the Governor, and made representations to him, showing that it was impossible to furnish the vessels with the appliances stipulated for, and the Governor agreed that the clearances should on the present occasion be granted.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, July 19, 1880.

MILITARY SITUATION REVIEWED.

REPORTS FROM ALL FRONTS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 18.

Reviewing the military situation at the weekly Press conference, Chu Ao Hsiang said that Shih Yu San's information bureau had announced the occupation of Kueiteh city, and south of Lunghai the Northerners had occupied Chihsien, Taipang, Tsurchow and Yungcheng, and are now pushing on towards Tanshan, in Kiangsu.

On the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front the Northerners have taken Chufu, and are now attacking Yenchow from Chufu and Tsining.

On the Peiping-Hankow Railway, the Northerners are south of Yencheng.

Chu Ao Hsiang declared that Feng Yu Hsiang will shortly take the offensive, and may be expected to occupy Wuhan with the view to the transfer of Chiang Kai Shek's main forces to the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front.

Dealing with the situation along the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway, Chu Ao Hsiang stated that the Shansi forces are now at Chingchow, and that Generals Liu Chen Nien and Kao Kwei Tzu are attacking Han Fu Chu's rear.

The proposal that Han Fu Chu's forces should withdraw to Haichow has not been acceptable, and fighting is now proceeding simultaneously with further negotiations.

LISBON PLOTTERS ARRESTED.

TROOPS REMAIN LOYAL.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LISBON, July 18.

It is semi-officially announced that certain military officers and civilians who had been conspiring to overthrow the existing *régime* have been arrested.

The movement was engineered by a negligible minority.

The military garrisons remain loyal.

SINO-JAPANESE CABLE QUESTIONS.

FIVE AGREEMENTS UNDER DISCUSSION.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, July 18.

Mr. C. H. Wang, Director-General of Telegraphs and Telephones, states that the Nationalist Government has officially notified the Japanese Government of its intention to begin negotiations regarding the outstanding Sino-Japanese cable questions.

Five agreements will be discussed, the Fukien-Formosa, Shanghai-Nagasaki, Tsingtao-Sasebo and Chefoo-Dairen cables agreements and the South Manchuria Railway telegraphs.

No difficulty is expected with the Shanghai-Nagasaki and Fukien-Formosa cables, but detailed negotiations between the Chinese and Japanese Governments will be necessary in connexion with the others.

ALEXANDRIA STILL EXCITED.

TROOPS ENCAMPED IN PUBLIC SQUARE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

ALEXANDRIA, July 17.

Following a quiet day in Alexandria a mob rushed down the streets this evening cheering Nahas Pasha and shouting "Down with Sidky Pasha."

The police dispersed the mob.

A few shots were fired and one person was slightly wounded.

All is now quiet, but troops are encamping in Mohamed Ali Square all night long.

NORTH CHINA'S NEW GOVERNMENT.

FORMATION WHEN QUORUM ASSURED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 18.

Asked when the new Government was likely to be established in North China, Chu Ao Hsiang, at the weekly Press conference, said that they were waiting the arrival of several more members of the Second Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang.

He said he expected that they would reach Peiping within a fortnight, and as soon as there were enough to form a quorum steps would be taken to proceed with the formation of the new Government.

Plans were now being drafted and discussed, and as soon as concrete proposals were reached they would be submitted to Yen Hsi Shan.

Yen Hsi Shan's foreign policy, Chu Ao Hsiang declared, would be to develop trade with foreign countries, protect foreign commerce to the fullest extent in China, and to secure better conditions for the millions of Chinese abroad through diplomatic and consular means. Clean government and honest administration would be the keynote of their internal policy.

KUOMINTANG PLENARY SESSION.

(Wah Tsz Yat Pao.)

PEIPING, July 18.

Until Mr. Wang Ching Wei, the leader of the Kuomintang extremists, arrives here, the important proposals of the plenary session of the C.E.C. of the Kuomintang will not be decided upon.

A telegram has been received from Feng Yu Hsiang congratulating the C.E.C. on the success of the session. A congratulatory telegram has been also received from Yen Hsi Shan.

Mr. Chen Kung Po, a leader of the Kuomintang extremists, told Pressmen that Mr. Wang Ching Wei is expected to arrive from the South *via* Japan next month.

ROWDY LABOUR MEMBERS.

PARLIAMENTARY DIGNITY ASSAILED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 17.

There was a scene in the House of Commons to-day arising from the Labour member, Mr. A. Fenner Brockway, insisting on making a speech after Mr. MacDonald had replied to a question about India.

The interruption ended in Mr. Brockway's suspension, and also in the suspension of the left wing Labourite, Mr. John Beckett, who exclaimed: "It is a damned disgrace." He lifted the mace from the table, walking out of the House with it, when an attendant seized the mace and restored it to the Sergeant-at-Arms.

Mr. Beckett's action evoked protests from all sides, and his suspension was carried by 324 to 4 votes.

The tumult when Mr. Brockway was suspended was such that the figures of the division were inaudible, but it was noticed during the division that all parties except a score of left wing Labourites voted for his suspension.

Mr. Beckett's conduct evoked universal shouts of indignation.

It was noted that both he and Mr. W. J. Brown, who were "tellers" in the Brockway division, did not bow to the Chair as was customary in reporting a division. They stood nonchalantly by the table. Then Mr. Beckett seized the great gold mace, bearing it on his shoulder, and tried to force his way through a crowd of members standing at the bar of the House.

Most of the left wing Labourites abstained from voting on the Beckett division.

MAROONED ANGLO-AMERICANS.

CONSULAR ATTEMPT AT RESCUE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEIPING, July 18.

Word has reached Peiping that the United States Consul at Foochow, Mr. John J. Muccio, accompanied by the British Consul, Mr. A. J. Martin, are proceeding by launch to Yenpingfu, about 100 miles up the Min River, to rescue a number of British and American missionaries who are marooned within the area controlled by Lu Hsing Pang, the rebel leader who is menacing Foochow.

The Consuls, whose launch is flying the flags of their respective countries, have been promised a safe conduct through the fighting lines by both sides.

Efforts will be made by the party to get into touch with Miss Nettleton and Miss Harrison, of the Church Missionary Society, who were captured by Communist bandits while travelling from Changan to Kienning on the 4th inst.

A letter signed by Miss Harrison, but dictated by her captors, demands that $100,000 be sent to the District Soviet Government within a fortnight, failing which both ladies will be shot.

BRITAIN'S REPLY TO BRIAND PLAN.

LEAGUE'S AUTHORITY MAY BE IMPAIRED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 17.

The British reply to M. Briand's Memorandum for a closer European political union is very sympathetic, but it fears that any new institutions might diminish the efficiency and authority of the League of Nations, and thus create tendencies to inter-Continental rivalries and hostilities.

It expresses the opinion that M. Briand's ideal can effectively be secured by adapting the proposals to bring them fully within the framework of the League, and suggests that the Memorandum be placed on the agenda at the next League Assembly.

The reply states that the Memorandum requires careful and prolonged consideration between the British and all the Governments of the Dominions.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 17.

The text is issued of the reply which the British Government have sent to the French Government's Memorandum on the organisation of a system of a European Federal Union.

Proposals Require Careful Consideration.

The reply says that the proposals, so important in purpose and scope, require careful and prolonged consideration, and this must be undertaken in consultation with the other Governments in the British Commonwealth.

Comments and Suggestions Must be Regarded as Tentative.

As the French Government have requested a reply by mid-July, however, the present Note was sent, although its comments and suggestions must be regarded as preliminary and tentative. The fundamental purpose of the French Memorandum is understood to be to divert the attention of European people from hostilities and from the conflicts of interest sometimes allowed to exist between them, and to fix their attention upon more important common interests, thereby promoting closer co-operation among the European nations and Governments and strengthening the safeguard against each other.

Fullest Sympathy With Purpose of Plan.

The reply expresses fullest sympathy with this purpose and the earnest hope that France's initiative will promote a better understanding of the common interests of European peoples, thus leading to a greater mutual confidence and trust among the Governments and to a diminution of the obstacles to international trade and economic co-operation which now exist.

Agreement is expressed with the view that it is primarily a matter of economic relations that closer co-operation between the European nations is so strongly to be desired, and that to this end economic questions should be considered, not one by one, nor in respect of isolated interests, but as a whole and from the wider viewpoint of the general interests involved.

SINO-AMERICAN AVIATION CONTRACT

APPROVED BY STATE COUNCIL.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, July 18.

The State Council has approved of a new Sino-American aviation contract with the Curtiss interests.

Measures regarding the reorganisation of the China National Aviation Corps were also approved.

The Government has abolished the old regulations governing the China National Aviation Corps.

EMPIRE FREE TRADE.

ABSENT FROM ECONOMIC CONFERENCE AGENDA.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 17.

In the House of Lords this evening, Lord Elibank raised the question of the agenda at the forthcoming Imperial Economic Conference.

He enquired whether the Government were prepared to agree to a new trade relationship between Great Britain and the rest of the Empire and whether they would submit to the Conference for full discussion of the policy of Empire Free Trade, including the imposition of duties on foreign foodstuffs.

Lord Arnold, replying for the Government, said details of the subjects for discussion at the Conference were under discussion with the Dominion Governments. The final form of the agenda had not yet been settled, but the Prime Minister would make an announcement upon it before the end of the session.

The agenda, said Lord Arnold, would permit the consideration of any proposals which might be put forward for the purpose of improving inter-Imperial trade, but it would be made clear from the outset that the Government were opposed to any new or increased taxation of foodstuffs, or to any system of tariffs in Great Britain. The Government would not agree to submit to the Conference the policy of Empire Free Trade.

DUTCH RUBBER RESTRICTION.

PLANTERS FAVOUR 25 PER CENT. REDUCTION.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

AMSTERDAM, July 17.

A meeting of Dutch rubber producers, by 103 votes to 18, adopted a proposal to negotiate with the Dutch Indies Government for the purpose of achieving restriction by all rubber producers, including native, to 75 per cent. of the 1929 crop.

The decision, however, is not yet definite, as the members have six days in which to withdraw their votes.

It is understood that the decision was reached after a discussion which lasted three and a half hours.

The rubber expert, Herr Burger, lengthily explained that the co-operation of the Dutch Indies Government was in the interests of the whole of the Dutch East Indies, because the Budget depended considerably on the contribution of the rubber-growing companies, while the existing situation in the rubber industry unfavourably influenced the revenue.

Herr Burger said the native planters would find it in their interests to co-operate in restriction, and he recommended the adoption of the negotiation proposal as a remedy for the situation.

SERIOUS FLOODS IN KOREA.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND HOUSES FLOODED.

TOKYO, July 18.

Seventy-eight were drowned, twenty-eight injured and over thirty missing as the result of a big innundation in the provincial districts in Korea, according to information reaching here.

It is also said that 15,000 houses were flooded and other considerable damage was done to farm houses in various parts of the provinces.

TYPHOON RAGES OVER JAPAN.

TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES INTERRUPTED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, July 18.

A very severe typhoon is raging over Japan, telegraphs and telephones and also the Nagasaki-Shanghai cable being interrupted.

We are informed by the Superintendent of the Great Northern Telegram Company that cable communication between Japan and Shanghai remains intact.

TYPHOON SWEEPS OVER KYUSHU.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, July 18.

A typhoon swept over Kyushu this morning, the velocity of the wind being 41 metres per second.

Telephone communication west of Hiroshima was totally interrupted, and it is believed that considerable damage resulted.

The typhoon is marching on to the north-west of the Korean Channel and the Japan Sea.

Electricity Cut Off in Kyushu.

TOKYO, July 18.

The typhoon cut off the supply of electricity in northern Kyushu, suspending the operation of newspaper printing and other industries.

Many cities in northern Kyushu will be without electric light to-night.

ECONOMIC CRISIS FACING BOMBAY.

RESULT OF CIVIL DISOBEDIENCE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BOMBAY, July 17.

In a speech in the Assembly to-day, Sir Frederick Sykes, Governor of Bombay, severely indicted the proceedings of the civil disobedience volunteers, the result of which was that the Presidency was heading towards an economic crisis.

He emphasised that there can be no question of negotiation with persons whose declared object is to make orderly Government impossible.

Ten Bombay Mills May Close.

BOMBAY, July 17.

Ten mills of the Sassoon group have intimated their intention of closing temporarily on August 15 if trade conditions do not improve.

Twenty thousand workers will be involved.

Fourteen Additional Mills to Close Down.

BOMBAY, July 18.

Owing to the accumulation of stock and the trade depression, 14 more mills will close down on August 1, involving 40,000 workers.

KING ALFONSO IN MOTOR ACCIDENT.

COLLISION IN HYDE PARK.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 17.

A motor-car in which King Alfonso of Spain was being driven collided to-day in Hyde Park with a two-seater driven by a lady.

Part of the glass in the King's car was broken and the small car was damaged, but no one was injured.

King Alfonso alighted, enquired as to the lady driver's safety, shook hands with her, and proceeded to Buckingham Palace, where he lunched with King George prior to his return to Spain to-morrow.

REICHSTAG DISSOLVED.

HINDENBURG'S EMERGENCY DECREE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, July 18.

In consequence of the Reichstag adopting by 236 votes to 221 a Socialist motion to annul President Hindenburg's emergency decree enacting the Government's financial programme, the Reichstag was dissolved this morning.

The General Election is to be held in six weeks' time.

The overthrow of the Bruening Government was mainly due to the fact that the majority of the German Nationals under Dr. Hugenberg voted for the Socialist motion owing to Herr Bruening's rejection of Dr. Hugenberg's proposal that the Nationalists should be included in the Coalition Government against the Socialists.

Herr Bruening will continue in office pending the election.

COMMERCIAL CODE TELEGRAMS.

NEW REGULATIONS NOW ISSUED BY NANKING.

Nanking, July 14.—New regulations regarding the use of secret codes in the dispatch of telegraphic messages by commercial firms have been issued by the Ministry of Communications to all offices of the Telegraph Administration. The new regulations state:—

1.—Code messages must be confined only to reports of commercial and industrial affairs; no reference must be made to military or political news.

2.—In the dispatch of private code messages by Chinese firms, the seal of the commercial firm concerned or of a reliable company should be stamped as guarantee and the signature of the manager affixed.

3.—Code messages dispatched by foreign firms should bear the signature of the local consul or a letter of guarantee from the consul before they can be dispatched; whenever called upon to do so, the key to the code must be submitted to the Telegraph Office for examination.

4.—All telegrams for transmission through the Telegraph Offices or through the Cable Companies to foreign countries shall be subject to these regulations.

5.—The procedure for the censorship will be made as simple as possible in order to avoid delay.

LUNATIC DEFIES SHANGHAI POLICE.

FIRE DIVISION TURNTABLE LADDER USED.

The Hongkew Division of the Municpal Fire Brigade the other day responded to a call somewhat out of the ordinary, namely, to bring a lunatic down from an electric standard.

The man, who was later found to be demented, was seen up one of the poles near the entrance to the S.V.C. Revolver Range at 7.52 o'clock in the morning by a Chinese constable who told him to come down. Instead of doing so, the poor fellow resorted to various antics, some of which were exceptionally dangerous. When the policeman attempted to bring him down, the man threatened him and said that he would kick any "cat face" who came near him. He lived on the pole, he said.

Finding there were no other means to get him down, the police sent a call to the Hongkew Fire Station and appealed for assistance. This was readily forthcoming and a turntable ladder was sent to the scene. A couple of men went up and they succeeded in bringing the unfortunate fellow down. No resistance was offered.

SHANSI REVERSE REPORTED.

TAIAN BESIEGED BY NANKING.

WARLORD'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM AERIAL BOMB.

There has been an uproar among the Chinese merchants in Peiping, consequent on the issue by Yen Hsi Shan of a military public loan amounting to $15,000,000. A meeting was held by the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday when those present were unanimously of the opinion that that part of the loan assigned to the Chamber for consumption is too heavy. A delegate has been dispatched to request Yen Hsi Shan to reduce the amount.

Following their recent reverse, the whole body of the Shansi troops in Shantung along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway have withdrawn to Taian where strong fortifications have been erected. General Chien Ta Chun's forces have been rushed to reinforce the Nanking troops now besieging Taian. A number of Cantonese aeroplanes participated in the fighting.

A major-general of the Shansi troops was shot by order of Yen Hsi Shan for cowardice which resulted in the recent setback on this sector. The execution of the general has aroused dissatisfaction among his subordinates and it is reported that they have been threatening to mutiny.

Tsaochow Captured.

The Nanking forces in Western Shantung have lately defeated Shih Yu San's Kuominchun army which are co-operating with the Shansi troops on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway. They have captured Tsaochow.

Han Fu Chu's Nanking troops have pushed forward from the Tzeho on the Tsinan-Kiaochow Railway. Han has enlisted the people's militia of Kiaochow and organized them into a mixed brigade with Li Hon Kia as the commander. The Shansi forces have further retreated.

In view of the heavy losses of the Shansi forces in Shantung, Yen Hsi Shan has dispatched the Peiping gendarmie to the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front. He has also reorganized the "peace preserving corps" of Shansi into two divisions and dispatched them to the front for service.

Feng's Narrow Escape.

A Hsuchow report says that Feng Yu Hsiang had a narrow escape from an aerial bombardment. While he was entraining to Lanfeng from Kaifeng with a view to directing his troops there, a Nanking aeroplane made its appearance. Several bombs were dropped near the train and the railway tracks were damaged. The train was stopped and Feng fled with his bodyguard in great panic and returned to Kaifeng the following day.

Feng Yu Hsiang has recently purchased from abroad ten more fighting aeroplanes, four of which are expected to be delivered at Tientsin immediately.

A considerable consignment of arms and ammunition, purchased by the Nanking regime, arrived at Shanghai on Thursday and was conveyed to Nanking under heavy military escort.

Madame Chiang Leaves for Front.

Madame Chiang Kai Shek is leaving for the front and is taking with her large quantities of presents for the troops.

There have been no fresh developments along the Peiping-Hankow Railway. The Kuominchun forces counter-attacked on the Nanking troops at Cencheng on Wednesday but they were repulsed after a battle lasting three days. Over 1,000 of the invaders were killed. The Nanking forces are preparing to attack Hsuchang.

An important telegram from Feng Yu Hsiang to Liu Yu Fen, the commander of the Kuominchun on this sector, has fallen into the hands of the Nanking authorities at Luiho. In this telegram Feng instructed his troops to abandon Hsuchang if necessary.

Foochow Quiet.

The situation in Foochow is quiet, but fighting is still raging between the loyal troops and the insurgents under Lu Hsing Pang. Taking advantage of the fighting, the "Reds" in Fukien have become very active and this has greatly handicapped the Fukien troops. It is reported that the Kiangsi mutineers, formerly under General Kin Han Ting, are moving to join the insurgents and a number of troops have been dispatched to prevent the mutineers penetrating the Fukien border to join Lu Hsing Pang.

The fate of the five members of the Fukien Provincial Government who have been detained by Lu since the beginning of the *coup d'état*, is still unknown. The report that they have been killed has not been verified.

Sports News

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

NEW YORK, July 17.

The following are the results of the baseball matches played in the National and American Leagues to-day:—

National League.

New York	12	St. Louis	9
Philadelphia	9	Cincinnati	14
Boston	2	Pittsburg	6
Brooklyn	3	Chicago	6

American League.

Cleveland	4	Washington	3
Detroit	2	Boston	12
Chicago	8	Philadelphia	12
St. Louis	7	New York	13

ST. LOUIS EASILY DEFEATED.

BROOKLYN AGAIN WORSTED BUT STILL ON TOP.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, July 13.—Philadelphia's world champion Athletics, after several days of eclipse by the Washington Senators, came back into first place in the American League standing with a rush to-day, when they defeated the St. Louis Browns, whilst the Senators lost a tight game with the Detroit Tigers. This left the Athletics with a percentage of .647, as compared with the Senators' .646, the smallest possible lead for the Philadelphians and one which to-morrow's scores may easily upset again. The Browns are second from the bottom in the American League, so the Athletics had small difficulty in mopping up by 12 to 1.

With the Senators it was another matter. While the Tigers are well down in the list, standing fifth with a percentage of .477 at the close of play to-day, they are a fig ting team and the contest proved it. The Tigers won by 5 to 4, in spite of the fact that they committed the one error of the game.

The Yankees spaced their hits well at Chicago, and, although their total of hits was but 11, as compared with 14 for the White Sox, they came in victors by 7 to 5.

The Cleveland Indians, playing on their home field, had no trouble in subduing the last-place Boston Red Sox, by 11-3, making 16 hits to Boston's nine.

Brooklyn's leadership in the National League was whittled down again to-day when the Dodgers dropped a game to the Pirates at Brooklyn, while the second-place New York Giants were winning over the Reds in New York. Pittsburgh achieved a remarkable feat in trimming the league leaders, for the Pirates made but four hits and committed the only two errors of the game, yet they won by 1 to 0, and from opponents who got nine hits and made no errors.

The Giants simply walked away from the Reds, making 18 hits and winning by 9 to 5. These two games left the Dodgers with a percentage of .604, while the Giants moved up .557, the Chicago Cubs running third with .551, after dropping both games of a double-header against the Braves at Boston.

Both contests were featured by tight pitching. Though the Braves won both games, they made a total of only 10 hits for the two contests—five hits in each. In the first game, the Cubs should have won, with seven hits, had they not indulged in three errors, which resulted in a defeat by 2-1.

Boston's Sunday Law stopped the second game at the end of the eighth inning, when the score stood at 3 to 0 for Boston. Neither team had made an error when the game was called, the Cubs having made five hits but no runs."

The following are the detailed results of to-day's games:—

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
New York	7	11	1
Chicago	5	14	1
Philadelphia	12	7	0
St. Louis	1	8	0
Washington	4	9	0
Detroit	5	11	1
Boston	3	9	0
Cleveland	11	16	1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	7	1
Boston	2	5	1
(first game)			
Chicago	0	5	0
Boston	3	5	0
(second game)			
Pittsburg	1	4	2
Brooklyn	0	9	0
Cincinnati	6	8	1
New York	9	18	0

(Continued at foot of next column.)

WATER POLO.

KOWLOON BEAT C.B.C. IN EVEN GAME.

EASY VICTORY FOR V.R.C. JUNIOR TEAM.

The Chinese Bathing club's team showed improved form in their encounter with the Kowloon water-polo club last night, although the score was against them by 2-1. It was evident that they were against a better balanced team, but, as the score suggests, the game was pretty well fought out.

The first goal was shot by Witchell for the Kowloon team in the first half, and in the second half Kerr increased the lead when he sent in one from almost the centre line.

The Kowloon goalie was caught napping, and he allowed a Chinese forward to send in one from quite a lengthy distance. Play then centred in C.B.C's portion of the pool, but the score remained unchanged till the end.

Kowloon water-pool club: Hyde, J. Henrty, F. Franks, R. Witchell, W. Kerr, W. Simpson and W. Railton.

Chinese Bathing Club: Leung Shiu Man, Lau Shuk Chuk, Lau Yuen Cheung, Leung Sui Tak, Leung Ying Yau, Yee Wing Bun and Che Chu Chak.

Junior Game.

The team of the 12th Heavy Battery was defeated by a big margin when they met the V.R.C. team in the junior match. L Roza Pereira drew first blood for V.R.C. in the first minute of the game, and thereafter at regular intervals the V.R.C. players piled up their lead until it reached 8-0.

The two teams were represented by:

V.R.C.: Victor, Foraita, Maynard, Remedios, Lawrence, B. Gosano, and L. Roza Pereira.

12th Heavy Battery: Fletcher, Breeds, Watson, Hesketh, True, Leadbeater, and Baggett.

LIGHTWEIGHTS NOW IN ARGUMENT.

UNSPORTING ALLEGATIONS.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, July 13.—Al Singer, "the darling of New York Jewery," was quoted to-day as an 8-5 favourite to win Sammy Mandell's lightweight world title when they meet in a 15-round engagement at the Polo Grounds. This is an extraordinary situation, because of the fact that Mandell, though hard to drag into a match, has done some lively fighting when he has fought since he took the championship at Chicago in 1926, and as champion he would appear in these circumstances to rank as favourite, despite the Bronx boy's undoubted popularity.

Sol Kane, the manager of Mandell, has asked that a special commission shall be appointed to conduct an exhustive investigation of frequent charges that Singer has been curiously favoured by referees during the past year. Singer and his supporters indignantly repudiated this implication and opposed the naming of any such commission, declaring that they believe the title is due to change hands, but not for any reason other than that Singer is he better man.

Singer is a clever boxer and a hard hitter his style being reminiscent of that of the former champion, Benny Leonard. He has been ambitious for the lightweight championship since he was a boy, when he watched Leonard box. Singer is, in fact, little more than a boy still, as the records show him as having passed his twenty-second birthday last September and it is rumoured that he is even younger.

Standings.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	55	30	.647
Washington	51	28	.646
New York	46	35	.568
Cleveland	41	41	.500
Detroit	41	43	.477
Chicago	31	48	.392
St. Louis	32	50	.390
Boston	29	51	.363

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	46	30	.604
New York	44	35	.557
Chicago	43	35	.551
St. Louis	39	38	.507
Boston	38	40	.487
Pittsburg	37	40	.481
Cincinnati	34	44	.436
Philadelphia	27	48	.360

CRICKET.

SCOTLAND-AUSTRALIAN MATCH ABANDONED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

EDINBURGH, July 18.

The match between Scotland and the Australians had to be abandoned, there being no play to-day owing to rain, and the result was declared a draw.

SHAMROCK V. SAILS FOR AMERICA.

ESCORTED BY STEAM YACHT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 17.

Shamrock V. will leave Portsmouth on Saturday under her own canvas, to cross the Atlantic to compete for the America Cup.

Escorted by Sir Thomas Lipton's steam yacht, Shamrock V. will proceed to New York, where she is expected about August 20 after calling at the Azores.

BOXING.

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION KNOCKED OUT.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SEVICE.]

NEW YORK, July 17.

In a fifteen-round contest for the world's lightweight championship Al Singer knocked out Sammy Mandell, the holder, in the first round.

FANLING GOLF.

STARGING TIMES FOR TO-MORROW.

9.20 a.m. W. C. Shields and A. E. Lissaman.
9.24 ,, E. D. Lawrence and C. C. Stark.
9.28 ,, O. Eager and A. D. Humphreys.
9.32 ,, D. J. Keogh and M. N. Cochrane.
9.36 ,, A. Ritchie and W. J. Clerk.

NEW FACES FOR OLD.

£80 "BUSTS" IN 48 HOURS.

The beautiful young shop assistant gazed hard at me and smiled, writes an English visitor in Paris.

"Will you have your face fancy, modern or antique?" she asked.

The question came to me as something of a shock.

"Just as it is, thank you," I replied with some hauteur.

I had entered a shop on the Champs Elysées in Paris, where was displayed the intriguing notice:—

"Sit for twenty minutes,
Bust in forty-eight hours."

I walked in and found myself surrounded by all sorts of models.

There were heads of old men, masks of young women, busts of small children in every conceivable medium. A pale young man at the back was slapping plaster of paris on to some one's face as if he owed them a grudge and was obviously enjoying the process.

He wore a white coat and looked like a doctor. It occurred to me that one would be needed soon. Just the nostrils were allowed to have access to the fresh air. Over the patient's hair was a black close-fitting cap. The rest of his face was mud.

Expensive Model.

After some ten minutes the plaster dried and fell off.

"Thank you," said the young man, "your model will be ready day after to-morrow." The patient heaved a sigh of relief, rose and left in silence.

"What do you do after that?" I asked curiously.

"From this mask," replied the beautiful assistant, "a head is reproduced by mechanical means. When this is made a young student from the Beaux Arts School models the eyes and hair, and any other part you may require altering."

"What does it all cost?" I asked.

Anything from 24 to 200, I was told. "This head which our artist is touching up now is that of a famous hatter, and it is a fairly large and expensive model. Therefore, it is more expensive, but there are cheaper varieties.

"Now, how would you like your face, fancy . . . ?"

"Thank you, I will keep it as it is," I answered as I retreated hurriedly.

THE PAN-EUROPEAN SCHEME.

ALL REPLIES EXCEPT BRITAIN'S RECEIVED.

OUTLOOK NOT TOO PROMISING.

Paris, July 13.—With the sole exception of Great Britain, all European countries have now replied to M. Briand's memorandum proposing the creation of a Pan-European Federation and although the prospects for the early realization of the scheme remain rather nebulous, it is now safe to say that yet another step will be taken towards that end, namely the holding of a convention of the European Powers either before or immediately after the September session of the League of Nations Assembly.

In this respect it is noteworthy that although the replies given by the Powers vary regarding the degree of their enthusiasm, none of those hitherto heard from rejects M. Briand's proposal outright and it is not expected that Great Britain, although the tenor of her reply will undoubtedy be reserved, will form an exception. On the other hand only a few of the replies so far received are without reservations which in effect put nearly insurmountable barriers in way of M. Briand's proposed unity.

Disarmament Issue.

Thus Italy insisted on the inclusion of Turkey and Soviet Russia in the negotiations and furthermore declared that before the scheme could be put into practice the last distinction between the conquering and the conquered nations in the last war must be wiped out and that all nations, small and big, must receive equal consideration. Moreover, Italy took the occasion to raise the disarmament issue, complaining that M. Briand's memorandum failed to take it up either directly or implicitly although without the solution of this problem the Federation could not be formed or would remain without any practical value. Italy furthermore insisted that the proposed Pan-European Federation must not be modelled along the lines of the League of Nations because otherwise it would jeopardise the work of the League.

These and similar reservations and fears recur in almost every one of the replies so far received, Germany's too, while as yet unpublished, is understood to suggest indirectly that Turkey and Soviet Russia ought to be invited on the ground that to omit these states is in itself a negation of Europe's solidarity. Regarding the British reply which will probably be presented to-morrow, Monday, it is understood that Downing Street at first intended to send merely a non-committal acknowledgment but was, later on, persuaded by M. Briand himself to reply at length. Thus political circles here admit that the Foreign Minister's course will be far from easy and that Geneva will probably see a complete deadlock over the idea of a Pan-European Federation.

GIRLS' NIGHT ON A ROCK.

SHIPWRECKED OFF WELSH COAST.

Two young girls and three men, shipwrecked during a dense fog in the Irish Channel spent the night on the South Stack rocks, near Holyhead, before they were rescued.

The girls, aged sixteen and eighteen, were accompanying their father, Captain Conway, and a crew of two, on a voyage from Waterford to Garston, when their ship, the schooner Baltic, of Wicklow, struck the South Stack and became a total wreck.

At dawn the next morning, seven hours after the wreck, the men and the girls were observed by two members of the local lifeboat crew, who escorted them to a small farm some distance away. Afterwards they were taken by motor-car to Holyhead, where they were entertained at the local sailors' home.

"We could see nothing, and were going slowly," said Captain Conway "when suddenly there loomed up what appeared to be a huge mountain. I shouted out, 'Oh, my God, there's the Stack! Hard astern, boys!' but it was too late."

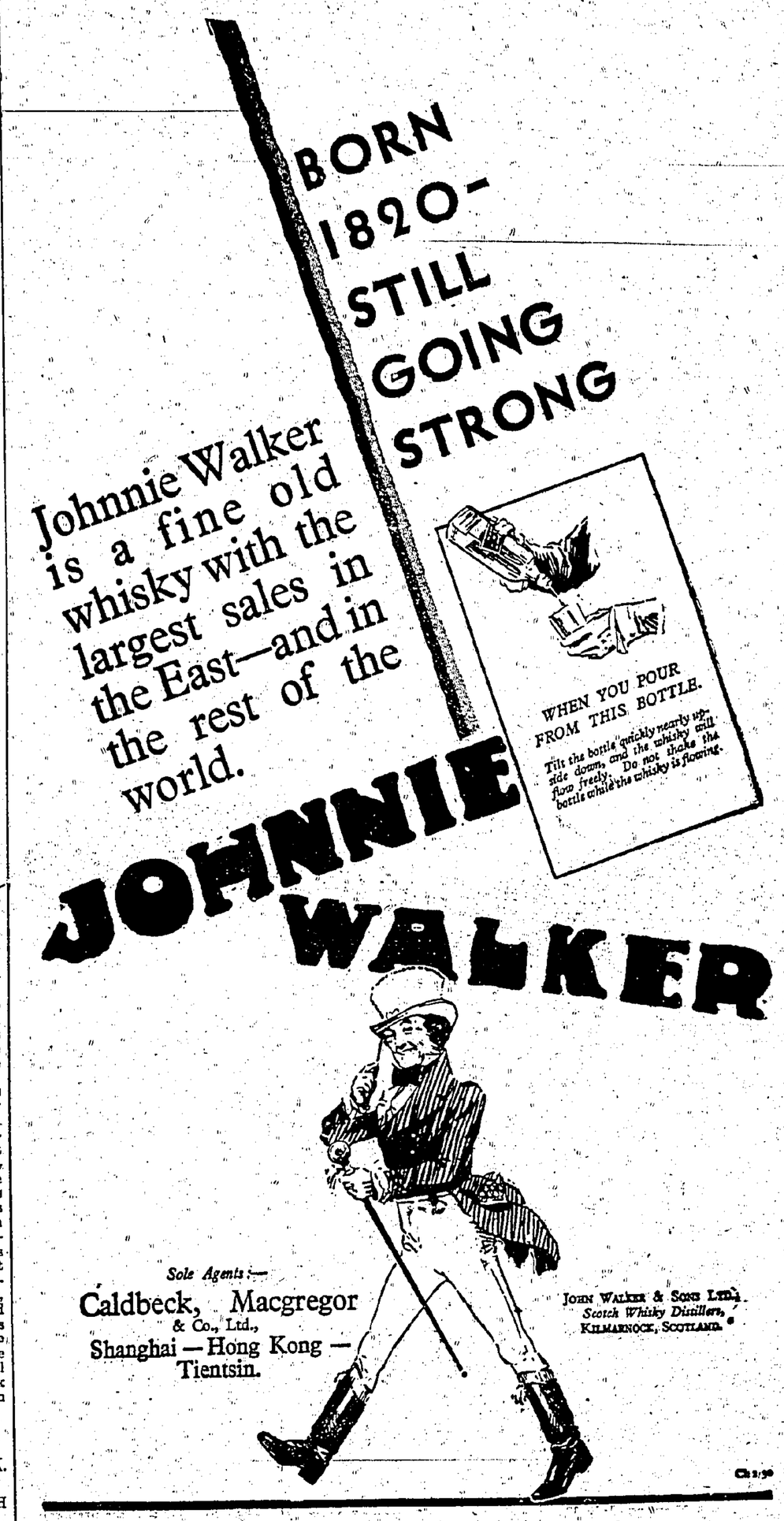
"There was no hope of escaping. We had got everything ready in case of emergency, and I at once decided to leave the ship. We had the ladder down and climbed on to the rock.

"It was intensely cold, but we made the best of things until we were rescued."

The girls had been on voyages with their father on many occasions.

"Oh, dear, no, we were not a bit afraid," said the elder girl. "It was certainly a thrill, but we are quite used to the sea, and, of course, it might have been much worse than it was.

"The worst part of it was to have to remain on the rocks all night, and we were very nearly exhausted when we were seen by the two lifeboatmen."



SEIZURE OF GOLD IN SHANGHAI.

VALUE BETWEEN TLS. 150,000 AND TLS 200,000.

Details have transpired of an attempt which failed to smuggle out of Shanghai a considerable quantity of gold bars. The bars were seized by the Customs authorities, and in accordance with the Government edict against exportation of gold, have been confiscated.

The attempt to take the gold out of the port was made last Sunday by Chinese who had booked passages to Japan aboard the *C.P.S. Empress of Canada*. It is understood that Customs officers watching the steamer noticed that certain of the Chinese passengers were wearing some special sort of waistcoat, and when an examination was made, it was discovered that these had been specially constructed for the purpose of containing gold bars. The gold bars were of two particular sizes, and these were immediately taken into the possession of the Customs.

Three or four Chinese were engaged in the traffic, and among them they had about 200 gold bars. The value of these at the present rate of exchange is put at between Tls. 150,000 and Tls. 200,000.

It is learned that the process of melting down gold ornaments is proceeding uninterruptedly, and that Japan continues to be a ready buyer of the precious metal in the form of bars.

GENERAL AGUINALDO TO MARRY.

VETERAN FILIPINO LEADER TO TAKE THIRD WIFE.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Manila, July 14.—General Emilio Aguinaldo, 61 years of age and twice married previously, is to wed to-day Miss Maria Agoncillo, niece of Felipe Agoncillo who was envoy to the United States for the short-lived Filipino Republic and also was Secretary of Interior of the Philippines under the late General Leonard Wood as Governor-General.

General Aguinaldo is the most famous of the Filipino revolutionary leaders, giving much trouble to the American military occupation forces until his capture and subsequent renunciation of the revolution, since which time he has been one of the chief proponents of American control.

Utmost secrecy surrounds plans for the wedding, which is expected to occur quietly in the ancient Cathedral within Manila's walled city. The honeymoon will be in the mountain city Baguio.

Although not a man of wealth and frequently in difficulty for non-payment of taxes and similar matters, General Aguinaldo has derived some income from his Filipino Veterans' Association and he has contrived to keep sufficiently within the spotlight here to render this, his third, marriage a social event of the first magnitude.

It is expected that the General and his bride will make their home on the Aguinaldo property near Cavite.

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No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements. N.	s.	E.	W.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1398.		ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
1		Cheung Sha Wan Road	As per sale plan.				About 10,248	70	17,934

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			ft.	ft.	ft.	ft.		$	$
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CHINA COAST OFFICERS.

LATEST CHANGES IN PERSONNEL.

Captain A. H. Bathurst, of the Nanning, is on reserve.

Captain J. H. Hodgkiss, of the Soochow, has gone master, Nanning.

Captain C. M. Mather, from reserve, has gone master, Soochow.

Mr. D. C. Cameron, chief officer, Tean, has gone chief officer, Kanchow.

Mr. W. Forrster, chief officer, Kanchow, has gone chief officer, Tean.

Captain J. D. Whyte, of the Kingyuan, is on reserve.

Mr. G. Wright, chief officer Kalgan, has gone acting master Kingyuan.

Mr. J. N. Daniel, from reserve, has gone acting chief officer, Kalgan.

Captain A. N. Taylor, of the Chungking, has gone master, Chinhua.

Captain W. L. Shinn, of the Chinhua, has gone master, Chungking.

Mr. J. Grossett, chief officer, Anking has gone chief officer, Changsha.

Mr. H. V. Steer, chief officer, Soochow, has gone chief officer, Anking.

Mr. R. Wherry, chief officer, Siukiang, has gone chief officer, Soochow.

Mr. T. A. Ellis, second officer, Newchwang, has resigned from the C. N. Co.

Mr. W. L. Morrison, third officer, Anking, has gone second officer, Newchwang.

Mr. D. L. Campbell, third officer, Antung, has gone third officer, Chungking.

Mr. R. Bird, second officer, Antung, has gone second officer, Kwangchow.

Mr. C. Nock, from reserve, has gone chief officer, Hangsang.

Mr. J. S. Beattie, second officer, Hangsang, has gone second officer, Suiwo.

Captain S. M. Copp, of the Erica Moller, has gone master, Isabel Moller.

Captain R. A. Young, of the Isabel Moller, has gone master, Erica Moller.

Mr. H. T. Sawyer, second officer, Erica Moller, has gone second officer, Isabel Moller.

Mr. Vifiades, second officer, Isabel Moller, is on reserve.—*Shipping and Engineering.*

"THE THIEF OF THE TALKIES."

MISS MARIE DRESSLER IN LONDON.

Miss Marie Dressler, most famous of American screen comediennes, appeared at the Empire Theatre, London, recently, in connection with the first public presentation of her new comedy, "Caught Short," in which she is featured with her hardly less popular cross-talk partner, Miss Polly Moran, in a story concerned with the experiences of two elderly women in the recent crash on the New York stock market.

Miss Dressler is known in Hollywood as "the thief of the talkies," because she "steals" every film in which she appears, the most notable example of that, perhaps, being the way in which she walked off with the honours of Great Garbo's "Anna Christie."

She was the principal guest at a film-trade luncheon given the previous day to celebrate her arrival, and turned out to be a formidable but charming personality, with a remarkable gift of epigram.

Her Witticisms.

Among the many wise and witty things she said were the following:—

When you get to my age you can afford to tell the the truth.

I don't want to be a star. I just want to walk into a film and upset the plot.

Comedy is a religion that should never be desecrated.

Hollywood is still in the "Covered Wagon" stage.

The best thing that you can ever learn is the art of laughing with the world and not at it.

My father claimed descent from Catherine of Russia, and I have tried to live up to my ancestry.

Miss Dressler stated that her father recently died in England at the age of eighty-six. He was a German who fought for the British in the Crimea.

Her first success in films, as her "Tillie's Punctured Romance," which featured herself, but also owed not a little of its success to the fact that Miss Dressler's antics were aided and abetted by one Charles Chaplin.

U.S. SENATE AND NAVAL PACT.

RESERVATIONS LIKELY.

PRESIDENT'S FIRM STAND.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington, July 12.—While the Senate idled to-day because of the fact that opponents of the London Naval Limitation Treaty refused to attend a Saturday meeting of the special session now in progress, President Hoover planned his strategy with Administration supporters.

Senators Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan, John Thomas of Idaho and Henry J. Allen of Kansas accompanied Mr. Hoover to his Rapidan camp, to which Mrs. Hoover proceeded likewise in her own motorcar.

A survey of the Senate to-day showed that opponents of the treaty can total enough votes to prevent the assembling of a quorum at any time that they choose to absent themselves. Many of the anti-treaty men, however, hope that a vote will will take place within a week despite the generally accepted opinion that delay tends to work against the success or the treaty.

Most of the opponents declared that a total of 23 Senators have agreed definitely to vote in the negative unless Senator George W. Norris' resolution, designed to restrict the Senate's endorsment to the face of the treaty itself without any of the rumoured "secret agreements" attached to it, is included.

Senator Hiram Johnson in particular desires to see the text of the British private proposals, he said to-day. He voiced the opinion that the United States had been forced to accept the British desires substantially in the form as originally stated.

Possibility of Arrests to Secure Quorum.

Washington, July 13.—While remaining at his summer camp on the Rapidan river to-day, President Hoover discussed the possibilities of forcing Senators to attend meetings of the special session in the event that they endeavour to prevent a quorum by absenting themselves.

The subject was brought to a focus by the fact that no Saturday meeting of the Senate could take place yesterday because of a "week-end strike" by those who preferred to stick to a five-day week.

Rounding Up Members.

The President indicated that it may possibly prove necessary to arrest absentees. Before the convening of the special session last Monday, a plan had been discussed for conducting such arrests on a nation-wide scale, rounding up recalcitrant members in case it was not possible to open the special session otherwise. A substantial quorum was on hand Monday, however, as well as each day following until the close of the week when the number thinned out and no quorum could be had on the last day.

Senator Henry J. Allen of Kansas, well known Republican spokesman and former governor of his state, reported to-day that it was not expected that final action could be taken on the London Naval Limitation Treaty this week.

It is expected that the proceedings of the Senate for the next several days will be confined to debate and discussion of proposed reservations to the treaty.

SELF SUFFICIENT?

[In a recent article in the *Daily Press* on the independence of women in America, Miss Alice Schalek implies that women there consider that man is unnecessary to them, and wonders where this attitude will lead them.]

In America, as I've heard tell,
There's every shade of lovely belle,
Each weaving her own separate spell,
An infinite variety;
They tell me, too, that all the laws
Are framed to suit the women's cause—
So much, that even Mr. Dawes
Is suffering from satiety.

If this is so, I'd rather not
Choose for a residence a spot
Where man's reported as a blot
Upon female humanity;
For though Americans are "cute,"
And, usually "don't care a hoot,"
On women they are strangely mute—
Perhaps it's dumb profanity!

Presumably they'll reach the stage
Where man is thought an appendage,
Who earns a useful weekly wage,
But has no personality.
And there are no more males to wed,
What will the women find instead?
They haven't immortality!

JOHN WILLWYN.

EASTERN NEWS IN BRIEF.

PARS FROM EVERYWHERE.

A number of military attachés are to be appointed by the National Government to Chinese Legations in the various foreign countries. One will be stationed in London, one in India, one in America, and two in Japan.

Schemes have been drawn up by the Ministry of Industry, Commerce & Labour, Nanking for the development of domestic industries. According to these, overseas Chinese merchants will be invited to return to China to start industrial enterprises, says the Chinese Press.

A popular belief was killed by Price Damrong in an interview in London on June 9, when he stated that the famous Siamese cats are not at all common in Siam. "You have more here, I believe, than we have," he said. "Only one in 1,000 there is a Siamese cat. The others are just ordinary tabbies like yours."

A letter is reported to have been addressed by the Peiping District Kuomintang to the Diplomatic Corps requesting the latter to hand over all reactionaries who take refuge in the Legation Quarters to the Chinese authorities and threatening to bring about the rendition of the Legation Quarters by means of revolution if the latter fail to accede to their demand.

An interesting episode in the never-ending struggle for the survival of the fittest—in this case the fitter—is recorded by the *Chefoo Daily News*: It is said by some countryman that locusts appeared in the vicinity of the city of Fushanhsien but they devoured grass and leaves instead of grains. Again a kind of strange bees have been seen eating locusts only. So no great damage has been done by locusts.

A female lunatic confined to the Hsin Pu Tang Hospital who recently ran amok and killed two other women by hacking them with a chopper was charged with murder at the Shanghai District Court last Saturday morning. When questioned as to her motive, she said that, since she recovered from her illness, she had seen two black fish in front of her and that, therefor, she killed them. Accused denied having murdered the two other women. A remand was ordered by the Court.

Regarding the registration of foreign firms or their branches in China, the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour has announced the following measures:—Foreign firms or other branches in China shall be registered in accordance with the Company Law promulgated by the Ministry of Industry, Commerce and Labour. If the managers of such foreign firms are not Chinese, then "nationality certificates" shall be issued to them by the foreign consul who assumes jurisdiction over them. In the petition submitted by foreign firms to the Chinese Government for registration the name, place, nature of business, and the total amount of capital of such foreign firms shall be clearly stated.

Mr. W. Cameron Forbes, who has been nominated by President Hoover as the new United States Ambassador to Japan, is a well-known figure in the Far East. He was a member of the Philippine Commission and Secretary of Commerce in the Government of the Philippines, 1904-1908, Vice-Governor of the Philippines till 1909, and Governor-General till September, 1913, when he resigned. In 1921 he was a member of the mission sent by President Harding to investigate conditions in the Philippines. He is honourary President of the China Society of America. Mr. Forbes is a grandson of the famous American poet, essayist and philosopher, Ralph Waldo Emerson, his mother having been Miss Edith Emerson before her marriage.

STILL NO NEWS OF THE CHEUNG ON.

There is still no news of the Cheung On, and as the vessels which have arrived from Bangkok during the last few days have reported very rough weather in the vicinity of the Gulf of Tongking, the gravest anxiety is being felt for the safety of the vessel.

The Mabel Johnson which arrived from Bangkok yesterday reports that she ran into the centre of a typhoon, and it is also reported that several junks have sunk during the past fortnight on account of the rough seas.

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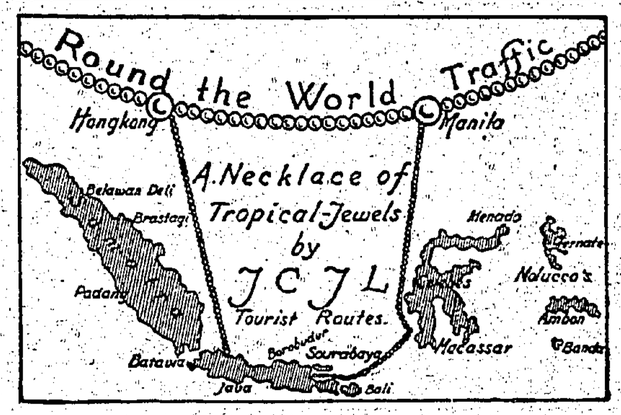

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TJILEBOET ..	JAVA, MAKASSAR	In Port	19th July	SWATOW & AMOY
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Money and Markets

HONG KONG SHARES.

BENJAMIN & POTTS' WEEKLY REPORT.

Although there has been no great increase in business during the past week, nevertheless the sentiment has been decidedly more cheerful, and the local market accordingly presented a brighter appearance. There was more bidding for stocks and shares and this helped prices to recover in many cases.

Banks.—Hong Kong and Shanghai Banks have advanced to £108.10 (Middle) in London, with business done locally at $1,515/1,520. The market closes with buyers at the former rate.

Marine and Fire Insurances.—Unions were placed in fair quantities at $440. Cantons at $940 and China Fires at $400 continue in request at quotations. Hong Kong Fires have hardened and are in demand at $950 and probably a little more would be paid. China Underwriters are enquired for at $2.65.

Shipping. — Douglas Steamships closed appreciably higher at $25. Hong Kong, Canton and Macao Steamboats were sold down to $22. Waterboats have lapsed to a nominal quotation of $32.

Wharves and Godowns.—Kowloon Wharves changed hands at $170, and more are to be had at this figure. China Providents were booked at the improved price of $5.55 and continue in demand. The Capital of this Company has been increased to $4,500,000 by the creation of 300,000 new shares of $5 each (first call $2.50), and 294,789 of such shares will be offered to shareholders in the ratio of one new share to every two shares now held. Whampoa Docks are still idle round about $39. Hongkew Wharves are asked for at Tls. 260. Shanghai Docks with a dividend of Tls. 7 pending, have appreciated to Tls. 124 buyers.

Lands, Hotels and Buildings.—Hong Kong Lands show renewed strength and a large business was done in this stock at various rates up to $86. The market closed with buyers at $84½. This Company has declared an Interim dividend of $2 per share payable on August 6. Hong Kong and Shanghai Hotels have fluctuated between $11.55 and $11.70. Realtys after having touched $9.30, are now enquired for at $9. Humphreys Estates at $16.50 continue neglected.

Public Utilities.—Hong Kong Electrics opened with sales at $79.50, but towards the close business was done at $78½ at which figure there is a fair enquiry. China Lights (Old) are enquired for at $26½ after transactions at this rate. The new shares have receded to $22. Hong Kong Trams are wanted at $20, after sales at $20.20. Star Ferries after a smart rise to $88 have eased off to $87 sellers. Peak Trams (Old) can be placed at 12.50 and probably a little more would be paid. Telephones (partly paid) have declined to $20½, but an improvement is to be noted in the Fully Paid shares which have buyers at $32½.

Miscellaneous. — Green Island Cements (Combined) were dealt in to a fair extent down to $18.70 but the market has since strengthened and buyers prevail at $18.90. Hong Kong Ropes were put through at $10.90. Dairy Farms were negotiated at the improved quotation of $25 and have further buyers. Watsons fetched 12.25. Amusements are obtainable at $26½.

Cotton Mills.—Ewos were realised early in the week at Tls. 11.60 but owing to the trade depression in the North, the market has since weakened and business was done at the close at Tls. 10.80. Shanghai Cottons at Tls. 78 are unchanged.

RUBBERS.

The following are to-day's cabled quotation from Shanghai:—

	Tls.	
Anglo-Javas	6.05	Buyers.
Anglo-Dutch	3.25	"
Batu-Anams	.50	"
Chemors	1.20	"
Consolidateds	2.25	"
Kroewoeks	1.40	"
Rapahs	1.20	"
Tanah Merahs	1.00	"
Tebongs	1.70	"
Ziangbes	5.70	"

The price of raw rubber is down to 5½d. per lb.

Exchange.—The T.T. rate on London is 1/3½ and on Shanghai 83½.

Forward Settlement Days.—July 29, August 26 and September 30, 1930.

PRUSSIAN PORK FOR GREAT BRITAIN.

IMPORTANT CONTRACT WITH ARMOUR.

Koenigsberg, July 12.—The East Prussian Meat Trading Co. has entered into a contract with the London branch of Armour & Co. by which the latter firm undertakes the preparing and sale in England, Ireland and the British colonies of a yearly contingent of approximately 200,000 pigs from East Prussia.

CANTON EXPORTS.

TESTING BUREAU.

The Bureau for inspection and testing of commercial commodities will open for business on July 21 at 194, June 23d Road, Canton, when all merchandise for export will have to be inspected and tested by the experts of that Bureau. Certificates will be issued for goods to be sent outside the country.

The Canton Bureau is organized by the order of the Ministry of Industry, Commerce, and Labour in Nanking, and will function on the same lines as the bureaux in Shanghai, Tientsin, and Hankow.

The main purpose of the Bureau is to improve the quality of Chinese exports, which are facing severe competiton in the world market.

BIG OIL DEAL IN U.S.

SINCLAIR INTERESTS SOLD TO SOCONY.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SEVICE.]

NEW YORK, July 17.

The Standard Oil Company of Indiana, which already holds half the Sinclair interest in the Sinclair Pipe Line Company and the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchase Company, has agreed to purchase the other half for G.$72,000,000.

EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 17.

Paris	123.58
New York	4.86 7/16
Brussels	34.80½
Geneva	25.01½
Amsterdam	12.08½
Milan	92.87
Berlin	20.37
Stockholm	18.09½
Copenhagen	18.16
Oslo	18.16½
Vienna	34.43
Prague	164 1/16
Helsingfors	193½
Madrid	41.75
Lisbon	108.25
Athens	375
Bucharest	818
Rio	5 13/32
Buenos Aires	40 17/32
Bombay	1/5 63/64
Shanghai	1/5⅞
Hong Kong	1/3½
Yokohama	2/0 11/32
Silver:—	
Spot	16
Forward	16 13/16

GREAT BRITAIN'S BAN ON AMERICAN APPLES.

WASHINGTON IN SEARCH OF MODIFICATIONS.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington, July 13.—The State Department announced to-day that officials have begun conversations with Great Britain as to the possibility for modifications of Britain's recent ban on certain grades of American apples.

Col. Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of State, has sought to impress upon the British Embassy the plight of American apple growers in several states.

Meanwhile the Ambassador, General Charles G. Dawes, is carrying on similar conversations in London.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

SHARP BREAK IN TRANS AMERICA.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, July 12.—Most of yesterday's losses were recovered on the New York Stock Exchange to-day, says the daily review of the Dow Jones Financial News Agency.

Wheat was steadier and cotton became somewhat firmer, which had their reflexions on the stock market.

High grade issues were in greatest demand. A sharp break in Trans-America which developed yesterday, with a one-point decline, continued to-day and featured the Kerb. A statement was issued by Trans-America showing that assets were valued above G.$28,000,000, but said that business was bound to be lighter under present conditions.

Selling in Bond Market.

Oils, rails and utilities in general followed the industrials in a steady advance on the Exchange, but the bond market met with selling.

U.S. Steel closed up three points to 160⅞, leading the Dow Jones averaged industrials up 4.37 for the day, to 229.23. Bethlehem was up 1⅜ to 82⅞; Westinghouse jumped 4⅜ to 140⅞; General Electric was up 2⅜ to 70½; Eastman Kodak was up 2½ to 204; American Can advanced three points to 123 and Du Pont was up 1⅜ to 102⅞.

Among the oils, Standard of New York was off a quarter to 32, but the New Jersey company was up 2¼ to 70⅞. Phillips Petroleum was up ⅜ to 32¼; Texas Corp. gained a quarter to close at 52; and Continental Oil was up ⅜ to 20½.

Rail Average Up.

The Dow Jones average for 20 rails was up .53 to 132.39. Pennsylvania gained half a point to close at 76; New York Central was up 3½ to 164⅝; Missouri Pacific gained ⅝ to close 69½; Erie was up 1⅜ to close at 41⅞; Canadian Pacific was up a quarter to 187 and Union Pacific was up ⅞ to 218⅞.

Utilities likewise moved upward, the Dow Jones average for 20 issues being up 1.64 to 83.58. American Tel. & Tel. gained two points to close at 210; International Tel. & Tel. was up 1¼ to 45; Radio Corp. was up three points to 39⅞; Pacific Lighting was up 1½ to 75⅞; Southern California Edison gained ⅞ to close at 57½; Consolidated Gas was up 2⅛ to 109½; Columbia Gas gained 1⅝ to close at 65; and Commonwealth & Southern was up a quarter to 14.

Gains by Motors.

General Motors gained a point to close at 42⅞; Chrysler was up a point to 29; and Packard was up a quarter to 13⅞. Anaconda Copper gained ⅞ to close at 49⅞. Paramount-Publix Corp. was up ⅜ to 58½. Hershey Chocolate jumped 4⅞ to 93½.

Business for the half-day session amounted to a total of 906,100 shares.

CHINESE IN JAPAN AND GOLD EMBARGO.

4 MILLION YEN SMUGGED OUT.

Tokyo, July 13.—Some Yen 4,000,000 in gold specie have been imported into this country from Shanghai within the recent month. This is due to the manipulations of Chiense profiteers in Kobe who secretly smuggled the gold out, breaking the export embargo ordinances of China. It is now calculated that the total sum of profit thus secured by the Chinese merchants will amount to some Yen 400,000.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS.

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. — SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal	FRIDAY, JULY 18.	Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1,515	...	...	...	H.K. Banks	$1,515	...	...	...
...	...	...	£108½	Do. (London)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	£17½	Chartered Banks	...	...	...	£16¾
...	...	...	£28½	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	...	£29
...	...	...	£12½	Do. "C"	...	...	...	£12½
...	...	...	$131	Bank of East Asia	...	$115	...	...
				Insurances				
$940	...	...	...	Canton Insurances	...	...	...	$955
$2.65	...	...	...	Underwriters	$2.70	...	$2.70	...
T.160	...	...	...	North China	...	...	...	T160
$435	$445	$440	...	Union Insurances	...	...	$440	...
...	...	...	M.$50	Yangtsze Insurances	...	...	...	$60
$400	...	...	...	China Fires	$400	...	...	...
$950	...	...	...	H.K. Fires	$950	...	...	...
				Shipping				
$24	...	$25	...	Douglases	...	...	...	$24½
...	$23½	$22	...	Steamboats	...	$23½	...	...
...	...	...	$43	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	$43
...	...	...	$40	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$40
...	...	...	96/3	Shell Transports	...	...	...	98/3
...	...	...	$32	Water-boats	...	...	...	$31
				Mining				
...	...	...	$8½	Benquets	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	31/10	Kailans	...	...	...	54/-
...	...	...	...	Langkats (comb.)	...	...	...	T13.10
...	...	...	T.8½	Do. (single)	...	...	...	T.7
T1.30	...	...	...	Explorations	...	...	...	T1.30
T.6½	...	...	...	Shanghai Loans	...	T.6½	...	...
$24½	...	...	...	Raubs	...	...	$24½	...
...	...	...	...	Tronoh Mines	...	...	...	21/
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
$168½	$170	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharfs	...	...	$169½	...
$5.55	$5.70	$5.55/.60	...	Providents	...	$5.60	...	...
...	...	...	$39	H.K. Docks	...	$38	...	...
T.122	...	...	...	Shanghai Docks	...	...	...	T.117
...	...	...	T.7½	New Engineerings	...	...	...	T.7½
T.260	...	...	...	Hongkews	...	...	...	...
				Lands, Hotels and Buildings				
$11½	...	...	...	H.K. & S. Hotels	...	$11.60	...	...
$85	$85½	...	...	H.K. Lands	$85	...	...	...
T.275	...	...	...	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
$9.30	...	...	...	H.K. Realtys	$9.45	...	...	...
...	$16½	...	...	Humphreys	$15½	$15¾	...	...
...	...	...	$98	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
...	T10.90	...	...	Ewos	...	...	...	T.11½
...	...	...	T.78	S'hai. C'tons (old)	...	...	...	T.85
...	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	T.84
...	...	...	T.9	Zoong Sings	...	...	...	T.10½
				Public Utilities				
$20	$20.20	$20.20	...	Tramways	$20.10	...	20.15/.20	...
$12½	...	...	...	Peak Trams (old)	$12	...	...	...
$8	...	...	...	Do. (new)	$6	...	...	...
...	$87	...	...	Star Ferries	...	$87	...	...
$26½	$28¼	...	...	C. Lights (old)	$26.50	$26.55	$26.50	...
...	$22	...	...	Do. (new)	$21½	...	...	...
...	$78¾	...	...	H.K. Electrics	$78½	...	$78½/.60	...
...	...	...	$23	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
$11	...	...	...	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
$32½	...	...	...	Telephones (fully pd.)	...	...	...	...
...	$21	...	...	Do. (part pd.)	...	$21½	...	...
T.18½	...	...	...	China Buses	...	...	...	...
...	10/-	...	...	Tractions	...	...	...	6/9
...	...	...	18/6	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	T.10½	Caldbeck, Macgregor (ord.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	T10.40	Caldbeck, Macgregor (pref.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$2½	Canton Ices	$2.25	...	...	...
$18.85	...	...	...	Cements (comb.)	$18.80	...	$18.70	...
...	...	...	$13½	Do (old)	$13	$13½	...	...
...	...	...	$5½	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$5¼
$10.85	$11	10.80/.85	...	Ropes	$10.80	...	...	...
...	$1	...	...	China Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$27	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	$29
...	...	...	$5	United Asbestos	...	...	...	...
				Miscellaneous				
$24.90	...	$25	...	Dairy Farms	...	...	$25	...
$1	...	...	...	Der A. Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$26½	Amusements	...	$25	...	...
...	...	...	$10	Chin. Entertainm'ts.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1.90	Constructions	...	$1.90	...	...
...	...	...	$3	Lane Crawfords	...	$3.20	...	...
$18	...	...	...	Mackintoshs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	$4
...	...	...	$11.30	Sinceres (old)	$11½	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$12½	Watsons	...	$12½	...	...
...	...	...	$2.85	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	$2¾
...	...	...	61%	B. Ind. G.$ Bonds	...	68%	...	...
...	...	prem.	8½%	H.K. Govt. Loan	...	$109½	...	...

AMERICAN STOCK QUOTATIONS.

LATEST WALL STREET PRICES.

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NEW YORK, July 17.

Tone of Market.—Firm.
No. of Shares Done.—2,500,000.
Call Money.—2 per cent.

	Last Dividend.	Latest Sales.
American Smelting	4	65
Anaconda Copper	3.50	49⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	7	108
Borg Warner	3	31
Continental Oil	None	23
City Service Common	30c. A	29
Curtis Wright Common	None	8
Eastman Kodak	8B	216
Electric Bond and Share	6C	83
Erie Railroad	None.	43
General Motors	3	45
General Ry. Signal	5	81
Gold Dust	2½	42
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	5	67
Granby Consolidated	8	24
International Cement	Last Div.	68
International Nickel	1	25
Montgomery Ward	3	37
Nevada Consolidated Copper	[illegible]	17
Radio Corp	None	41
Sears Roebuck & Co.	2½D	68
Simmons Co.	3	29
Standard Oil of N.J.	Missing.	75
Standard Oil Co. of New York	2.00	36
Union Carbide and Carbon	2.60	73
U.S. Rubber	None	24
United States Steel	7	165½

LOCAL AND REGULAR OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR	WEEK DAYS. From G.P.O.	WEEK DAYS. From Sheungwan Branch P.O.	SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS. From G.P.O.	SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS. From Sheungwan Branch P.O.
Canton	7.15 a.m. & 6.00 p.m.	7.30 a.m. 7.00 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 5.00 p.m. Sundays 5 p.m. only	7.30 a.m. & 7.00 p.m. Sundays 7.00 p.m. only
Macao & Tsinshan	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m.	7.30 a.m. 1.30 p.m.	7.15 a.m. & 1.15 p.m. Sundays 8.15 a.m. only	7.30 a.m. & 1.30 p.m. Sundays 8.30 a.m. only
Kongmoon (except Saturdays)	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	5.00 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Kaukong (except Saturdays)		6.00 p.m.		6.00 p.m.
Fatshan (By Train)	7.15 a.m.		7.15 a.m.	
Tai O	9.00 a.m.		9.00 a.m.	
Tai Po	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		9.00 a.m.	
Shumchun	9.00 a.m. & 3.00 p.m.		11.0 a.m.	
Cheungchow	12.30 p.m. & 4.30 p.m. Saturdays 1.00 p.m. & 4.30 p.m.		11.00 a.m. & 4.30 p.m.	
Aberdeen	[illegible]		[illegible]	
Stanley	1.00 p.m.		1.00 p.m.	
Autau, Pingshan, Santin, Shatin, Shataukok and Sheungshui	3.00 p.m.		10.30 a.m.	
Saikung	4.30 p.m.		4.30 p.m.	
Namtau, Shekki & Taiping (Funtin)		7.00 p.m.		7.00 p.m.

FOREIGN MAILS

RADIO NOTICE.

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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai and Amoy	*Newchwang*	19th July
Shanghai and Swatow	*Sunning*	19th July
Straits	*Katori Maru*	20th July
Manila	*Emp. of Russia*	21th July
Manila	*Olderkerk*	21st July
Manila	*Pres. Jackson*	21st July
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 28th June)	*Chichibu Maru*	21st July
Japan	*Aki Maru*	21st July
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 27th June)	*Pres. Van Buren*	26th July
Straits	*Atsuta Maru*	28th July
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 4th July)	*Pres. McKinley*	28th July
Japan and Shanghai	*Yokohama Maru*	28th July
Australia and Manila	*Tanda*	11th Aug

OUTWARD MAILS.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
		Saturday, 19th,
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 15th August	*Morea*	*Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 9.00 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M. *G.P.O.* Reg. 9.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.
Saigon	*Helikon*	3.30 P.M.
Japan, Honolulu, *U.S.A., *Canada *C. and *S. America and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 13th Aug.	*Taiyo Maru*	Reg. 4.15 P.M. Letters 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Taiyo Maru*	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Letters 6.00 P.M.
Manila	*Pres. Taft*	4.30 P.M.
		Sunday, 20th,
Sandakan	*Hinsang*	8.30 A.M.
Amoy	*Kiungchow*	8.30 A.M.
Straits	*Kt. Companion*	9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	*Canton Maru*	9.00 A.M.
Bangkok via Swatow	*Kaying*	9.00 A.M.
		Monday, 21st,
Shanghai	*Katori Maru*	10.30 A.M.
Swatow	*Hydrangea*	3.00 P.M.
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C., 8th August	*Pres. Jackson*	Parcels 3.00 P.M. Reg. 4.15 P.M. Letters 5.00 P.M.
Shanghai and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Pres. Jackson*	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Letters 6.00 P.M.
Manila, *Australia and *New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 4th Aug.	*Aki Maru*	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Let., 22nd, 8.30 A.M.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island — due Thursday Island, 2nd Aug.	*Taiping*	Par., 21st, 5.00 P.M. Reg. 22nd, 9.45 A.M. Letters 10.30 A.M.
		Tuesday, 22nd,
Calcutta via Straits	*Ho Sang*	Parcels Noon Letters 1.00 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiching*	1.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 22nd Aug.	*Achilles*	*Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 1.00 P.M. Letters 1.00 P.M. *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 2.30 P.M.
Foochow	*Tean*	3.30 P.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. and S. America and *EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C.—due Vancouver, B.C., 9th Aug., and *Europe via Siberia	*Emp. of Russia*	Parcels 5.00 P.M. Wednesday, 23rd, Reg. 9.15 A.M. Letters 10.00 A.M.
		Wednesday, 23rd,
Swatow	*Kwongsang*	8.30 A.M.
Amoy	*Tsinan*	5.00 P.M.
Rabaul	*Bremerhaven*	5.00 P.M.
		Thursday, 24th,
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	*Chengtu*	8.30 A.M.
Hoihow	*Kweiyang*	10.30 A.M.
Amoy	*Sui Sang*	5.00 P.M.
		Friday, 25th,
Wei Hai Wei via Swatow and Foochow	*Huichow*	10.30 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	*Haiyang*	1.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 24th, Aug.	*Hakusan Maru*	*Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 4.30 P.M. Letters 4.30 P.M. *G.P.O.* Reg. 5.00 P.M. Letters 6.00 P.M.
		Saturday, 26th,
Manila	*Pres. Van Buren*	5.00 P.M.
		Monday, 28th,
Japan, *Honolulu *San Francisco and *South American Ports	*Rakuyo Maru*	10.30 A.M.
Straits and Calcutta	*Yuensang*	Parcels Noon Letters 1.00 P.M.
		Tuesday, 29th,
Shanghai and Japan	*Atsuta Maru*	10.30 A.M.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 30th Aug.	*Athos II*	*Kowloon P.O.* Reg. 1.00 P.M. Letters 1.00 P.M. *G.P.O.* Reg. 1.45 P.M. Letters 2.30 P.M.
Manila	*Pres. McKinley*	4.30 P.M.
		Wednesday, 30th,
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, Central and South America, and *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 21st Aug., and *EUROPE via Siberia	*Chichibu Maru*	Reg. 5.00 P.M. Thursday, 31st, Letters 8.30 A.M.

*Superscribed correspondence only.

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ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

ALEXANDRIA.

Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.

AMOY.

Tjileboet, J.C.J.L., July 19.
Kiungchow, B. & S., July 20.
Haiching, Douglas, July 22.
Tilawa, B.I., July 24.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., July 24.
Tsinan, B. & S., July 24.
Haiyang, Douglas, July 25.
Anhui, B. & S., July 27.
Suisang, Jardine's, July 27.
Taiyuan, B. & S., July 31.
Talamba, B.I., Aug. 2.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Aug. 2.
Namsang, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Aug. 7.
Talma, BI., Aug. 10.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Aug. 19.

ANTWERP.

Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS.

Aki Maru, N.Y.K., July 22.
Taiping, B. & S., July 22.
Nellore, E. & A., Aug. 3.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 19.
Changte, B. & S., Aug. 22.

BALTIC PORTS.

Java, Manners, July 26.

BALTIMORE.

Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Birchbank, Bank, Aug. 1.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 11.

BANGKOK.

Kaying, B. & S., July 20.
Kweiyang, B. & S., July 24.
Kwangchow, B. & S., July 27.

BARCELONA.

Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.

BELAWAN-DELI.

Van Heutsz, J.C.J.L., July 31.

BOMBAY.

Morea, P. & O., July 19, noon
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Aug. 19.

BOSTON.

Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Japanese Prince, Furness, July 29.
Birchbank, Bank, Aug. 1.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Aug. 12.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.

BREMEN.

Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.

BRINDISI.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, July 23.

CALCUTTA.

Hosang, Jardine's, July 22
Yuensang, Jardine's, July 28.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Aug. 6.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.
Talamba, B.I., Aug. 23.

CASABLANCA.

Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Philoctetes, B.F., Aug. 19.

CEBU.

Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.

CHEFOO.

Huichow, B. & S., July 25.
Kueichow, B. & S., Aug. 8.

COLOMBO.

Morea, P. & O., July 19, noon.
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Aug. 19.

COPENHAGEN

Java, Manners, July 26.

DALNY.

Tean, B. & S., July 22.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Luchow, B. & S., July 28.
Patroclus, B.F., Aug. 22.

DUTCH PORTS.

Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Friesland, Jebsen, July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Aug. 5.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
City of Madras, Bank, Aug. 9.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.
Duisburg, Jebsen, Aug. 19.
Philoctetes, B.F., Aug. 19.

FOOCHOW.

Haiching, Douglas, July 22.
Tean, B. & S., July 22.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, July 25.
Haiyang, Douglas, July 25
Huichow, B. & S., July 25.
Chipshing, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Kueichow, B. & S., Aug. 8.

GENOA.

Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, July 23.
Friesland, Jebsen, July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Aug. 5.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Duisburg, Jebsen, Aug. 19.
Dardanus, B.F., Aug. 21.

GLASGOW.

Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Dardanus, B.F., Aug. 21.

HAIPHONG AND HOIHOW.

Chengtu, B. & S., July 24.
Kweiyang, B. & S., July 24.
Kanchow, B. & S., Aug. 7.

HAMBURG.

Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Friesland, Jebsen, July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Vogtland, Jebsen, Aug. 5.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
City of Madras, Bank, Aug. 9.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.
Duisburg, Jebsen, Aug. 19.
Philoctetes, B.F., Aug. 19.

HAVRE.

Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
Dardanus, B.F., Aug. 21.

HONOLULU.

Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.

JAPAN PORTS

Morioka Maru, N.Y.K., July 19.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., July 21.
Menelaus, B.F., July 21.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tilawa, B.I., July 24.
Hokodate Maru, N.Y.K., July 27.
Suisang, Jardine's, July 27.
Agra, Gilman's, July 28.
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Angers, M.M., July 29.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, July 30.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.
Fiume-L, Dodwell's, Aug. 1.
Kashmir, P. & O., Aug. 1.
Talamba, B.I., Aug. 2.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Borda, P. & O., Aug. 3.
Ramses, Jebsen, Aug. 3.
Lycaon, B.F., Aug. 4.
Namsang, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Anhalt, Melchers, Aug. 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 7.
Lahn, Melchers, Aug. 9.
Talma, B.I., Aug. 10.
Tanda, E. & A., Aug. 12.
City of Athens, Bank, Aug. 15.
Mantua, P. & O., Aug. 15.
Calchas, B.F., Aug. 17.
Sphinx, M.M., Aug. 18.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Aug. 19
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Aug. 20.
Protesilaus, B.F., Aug. 23.

JAVA PORTS.

Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., July 22.
Tjimanock, J.C.J.L., July 28.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Aug. 5.
Tjileboet, J.C.J.L., Aug. 12.

LIVERPOOL.

Kt. Companion, B.F., July 20.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Dardanus, B.F., Aug. 21.

LONDON.

Morea, P. & O., July 19, noon
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
City of Madras, Bank, Aug. 9.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.
Philoctetes, B.F., Aug. 19.

LOS ANGELES.

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, July 29.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Aug. 12.

MANILA

Aki Maru, N.Y.K., July 22.
Taiping, B. & S., July 22.
Tjisondari, J.C.J.L., July 22.
Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Fulda, Melchers, July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., July 29.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Aug. 2.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Aug. 5.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Aug. 12.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 19.
Changte, B. & S., Aug. 22.

MARSEILLES.

Morea, P. & O., July 19, noon
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Java, Manners, July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.
Philoctetes, B.F., Aug. 19.

NAPLES.

Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.

NEW YORK, BOSTON, etc.

Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Japanese Prince, Furness, July 29.
Birchbank, Bank, Aug. 1.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Chinese Prince, Furness, Aug. 12.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.

NEWCHWANG.

Tean, B. & S., July 22.
Luchow, B. & S., July 28.

NORTH CHINA PORTS.

Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Patroclus, B.F., Aug. 22.

OSLO.

Tudor, Thoresen, July 27.

PANAMA.

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.

PENANG.

Morea, P. & O., July 19, noon.
Hosang, Jardine's, July 22.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Yuensang, Jardine's, July 28.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Van Heutsz, J.C.J.L., July 31.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Aug. 6.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Aug. 19.
Talamba, B.I., Aug. 23.

RABAUL.

Bremerhaven, Melchers, July 24.

RANGOON.

Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

SAIGON.

Athos II., M.M., July 29.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.

SANDAKAN.

Hinsang, Jardine's, July 20.
Mausang, Jardine's, July 31.
Nellore, E. & A., Aug. 3.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Pres. Taft, Dollar, July 29.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.
Atago Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 2.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M.L., Aug. 12.

SCANDINAVIAN PORTS.

Java, Manners, July 26.
Ceylon, Gilman's, Aug. 8.

SEATTLE.

Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., July 22.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Aug. 5.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Aug. 19.
Protesilaus, B.F., Aug. 23.

SHANGHAI.

Morioka Maru, N.Y.K., July 19.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 20.
Yatshing, Jardine's July 20.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., July 21.
Menelaus, B.F., July 21.
Soochow, B. & S., July 21.
Kwongsang, Jardine's, July 22.
Sunning, B. & S., July 22.
Tean, B. & S., July 22.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tilawa, P. & O., July 24.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., July 24.
Tsinan, B. & S., July 24.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Chaksang, Jardines, July 27.
Hokodate Maru, N.Y.K., July 27.
Suisang, Jardine's, July 27.
Suiyang, B. & S., July 27.
Agra, Gilman's, July 28.
Luchow, B. & S., July 28.
Angers, M.M., July 29.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Shantung, B. & S., July 29.
Fooshing, Jardine's, July 30.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, July 30.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., July 31.
Taiyuan, B. & S., July 31.
Fiume-L, Dodwell's, Aug. 1.
Kashmir, P. & O., Aug. 1.
Borda, P. & O., Aug. 3.
Ramses, Jebsen, Aug. 3.
Lycaon, B.F., Aug. 4.

SHANGHAI.—(Continued).

Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Anhalt, Melchers, Aug. 7.
Asia, Manners, Aug. 7.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Aug. 7.
Lahn, Melchers, Aug. 9.
Oanfa, B.F., Aug. 12.
City of Athens, Bank, Aug. 15.
Mantua, P. & O., Aug. 15.
Calchas, B.F., Aug. 17.
Sphinx, M.M., Aug. 18.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Aug. 19.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Aug. 20.
Patroclus, B.F., Aug. 22.

SINGAPORE.

Morea, P. & O., July 19, noon.
Kiungchow, B. & S., July 20.
Knight Companion, B.F., July 20.
Achilles, B.F., July 22.
Hosang, Jardine's, July 22.
Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, July 23.
Mirzapore, P. & O., July 23.
Kweiyang, B. & S., July 24.
Pyrrhus, B.F., July 25.
Hakusan Maru, N.Y.K., July 26.
Jeypore, P. & O., July 26.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Anhui, B. & S., July 27.
Pres. Van Buren, Dollar, July 27.
Rangoon, Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Yuensang, Jardine's, July 28.
Athos II., M.M., July 29.
Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.
Van Heutsz, J.C.J.L., July 31.
Kalyan, P. & O., Aug. 2.
Witell, Melchers, Aug. 4.
Aeneas, B.F., Aug. 5.
Bingo Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Kumsang, Jardine's, Aug. 6.
Doric Star, Dodwell's, Aug. 8.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 9.
Pres. Garfield, Dollar, Aug. 10.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
Tamba Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 11.
City of Delhi, Bank, Aug. 12.
D'Artagnan, M.M., Aug. 12.
Glenamoy, Jardine's, Aug. 12.
Witram, Melchers, Aug. 14.
Rajputana, P. & O., Aug. 16.
Tilawa, B.I., Aug. 16.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Aug. 19.
Philoctetes, B.F., Aug. 19.
Dardanus, B.F., Aug. 21.
Talamba, B.I., Aug. 23.

SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.

Tinhow, Bank, Aug. 4.
Bingo Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.

SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 28.
Bingo Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.

SWATOW.

Tjileboet, J.C.J.L., July 19.
Kaying, B. & S., July 20.
Kiungchow, B. & S., July 20.
Yatshing, Jardine's, July 20.
Haiching, Douglas, July 22.
Kwongsang, Jardine's, July 22.
Sunning, B. & S., July 22.
Cheongshing, Jardine's, July 25.
Haiyang, Douglas, July 25.
Huichow, B. & S., July 25.
Anhui, B. & S., July 27.
Chaksang, Jardines, July 27.
Kwangchow, B. & S., July 27.
Suiyang, B. & S., July 27.
Shantung, B. & S., July 29.
Fooshing, Jardine's, July 30.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Aug. 2.
Chipshing, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Kueichow, B. & S., Aug. 8.

TIENTSIN.

Cheongshing, Jardine's, July 25.
Huichow, B. & S., July 25.
Chipshing, Jardine's, Aug. 5.
Kueichow, B. & S., Aug. 8.

TRIESTE AND VENICE.

Col. di Lana, Dodwell's, July 23.

TSINGTAO.

Yatshing, Jardine's July 20.
Soochow, B. & S., July 21.
Kwongsang, Jardine's, July 22.
Sunning, B. & S., July 22.
Sarpedon, B.F., July 26.
Chaksang, Jardines, July 27.
Suiyang, B. & S., July 27.
Shantung, B. & S., July 29.
Fooshing, Jardine's, July 30.
Patroclus, B.F., Aug. 22.

VANCOUVER, B.C.

Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Aug. 20.
Protesilaus, B.F., Aug. 23.

VICTORIA, B.C.

Pres. Jackson, A.M.L., July 22.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., July 23.
Tyndareus, B.F., Aug. 2.
Pres. McKinley, A.M.L., Aug. 5.
Korea Maru, N.Y.K., Aug. 6.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Aug. 7.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Aug. 19.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Aug. 20.
Protesilaus, B.F., Aug. 23.

VLADIVOSTOCK.

Menelaus, B.F., July 21.
Agra, Gilman's, July 28.
Glenshiel, Jardine's, July 30.
Calchas, B.F., Aug. 17.

WEIHAIWEI.

Taiyuan, B. & S., July 31.
Fiume-L, Dodwell's, Aug. 1.
Kashmir, P. & O., Aug. 1.
Borda, P. & O., Aug. 3.
Ramses, Jebsen, Aug. 3.
Lycaon, B.F., Aug. 4.

EXPECTED ARRIVALS AND MOVEMENTS.

Achilles due from Shanghai July 22.
Aeneas due from Shanghai Aug. 5.
Aki Maru due from Japan July 21.
Anhalt due from Europe Aug. 7.
Atago Maru due from New York July 22.
Athos II. due from Japan July 29.
Atsuta Maru due from Straits July 28.
Borda due from Europe Aug. 2.
Bremerhaven arrived from Rabaul July 16.
Calchas due from Europe Aug. 17.
Changte due from Australia Aug. 12.
Chichibu Maru due from Shanghai July 21.
City of Athens due from Europe Aug. 15.
City of Delhi due from Europe July 21.
City of Worcester due from New York Aug. 7.
Dardanus due from Japan Aug. 21.
Emp. of Japan due from Southampton Aug. 1.
Emp. of Russia due from Manila July 20, 9 a.m.
Hakusan Maru due from Japan July 25.
Kashmir due from Europe July 31.
Katori Maru due from Straits July 20.
Knight Companion due from Japan July 20.
Lahn due from Europe Aug. 9.
Lycaon due from Europe Aug. 4.
Mantua due from Europe Aug. 14.
Menelaus due from Europe July 21.
Nellore due from Japan July 30.
Oanfa due from Europe Aug. 12.
Olderkerk due from Manila July 21.
Patroclus due from Europe Aug. 22.
Philoctetes due from Japan Aug. 19.
Pres. Jackson due from Manila July 21.
Pres. McKinley due from Japan July 23.
Pres. Van Buren due from Japan July 26.
Protesilaus due from Japan Aug. 14.
Rakuyo Maru due from San Francisco July 23.
Ramses due from Europe Aug. 3.
Sarpedon due from Singapore July 25.
Sauerland due from Europe Aug. 18.
Taiping arrived from Manila July 10.
Taiwan due from Europe July 21.
Talamba due from Calcutta July 27.
Talma due from Calcutta Aug. 8.
Tanda due from Australia Aug. 11.
Tilawa due from Singapore July 22.
Tjibadak due from Java Aug. 6.
Tjikarang due from Java July 23.
Tjileboet due from Keelung Aug. 10.
Tjimanock due from Keelung July 27.
Tjisalak due from Java July 30.
Tjisondari due from Amoy July 20.
Tyndareus due from Europe July 31.
Yokohama Maru due from Japan July 28.

HEALTH BULLETIN OF EASTERN PORTS.

DETAILS OF EPIDEMIC DISEASES.

The health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ended July 12, issued by the Director of Medical and Sanitary Services gives the following cases:—

	Cases.	Deaths
Plague.		
Alexandria	8	3
Baghdad	4	—
Colombo	1	1
Pnom Penh	—	1
Cholera.		
Calcutta	53	28
Bangkok	3	1
Pnom Penh	16	9
Saigon	1	—
Canton	2	1
Small-pox.		
Bombay	15	9
Calcutta	19	17
Madras	10	1
Moulmein	10	4
Rangoon	1	—
Penang	2	1
Batavia	1	1
Cerebro-spinal Fever.		
Shanghai	—	1
Singapore	3	1

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Consignees are further notified that the Steamer "MAIN" has taken at HAMBURG and BREMEN Through Cargo for HONG KONG ex S.S. "CONPOR," S.S. "GANTER," S.S. "FERONIA," S.S. "STAM," S.S. "ELECTRA," S.S. "SPECHT" and S.S. "WACHTEL," from OSCARSHAMN, KOTKA, GOTHENBURG, MAENTYLUOTO and WIBORG.

All Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th of July, 1930, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godown for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Ashe, at 10 a.m., on the 24th of July, 1930.

No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Claims must be presented within Two Weeks of the Ship's arrival here, after which date they will not be recognised.

Consignees are requested to surrender their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature.

MELCHERS & CO.,
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NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN
Hong Kong, 18th July, 1930. [9659

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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CONSIGNEES per Co.'s Vessel "DOLIUS" FROM UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENTAL PORTS VIA SINGAPORE are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 17th July.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and NOON within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd July will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 6th August, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

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17th July, 1930. [9651

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FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, MALTA, PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed AT THEIR RISK in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days, including date of arrival, will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Gonnard & Douglas, at 10 A.M. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before 6th August, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.
Hong Kong, 17th July, 1930. [9654

PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK.

THE T. S. "BRITISH PRINCE" having arrived from the above Port on 17th instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Wednesday, 23rd instant, at 10 a.m.

All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the Vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th instant will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

S.S. "D'ARTAGNAN."

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON TUESDAY, THE 15TH JULY, 1930.

FROM MARSEILLES, &c.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and placed at their risk in the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared within 7 days including date of arrival will be subject to Rent.

All Claims must be sent to the Undersigned before Thursday, the 24th July, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Monday, the 21st July, 1930.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,
Agent.
Hong Kong, 15th July, 1930. [9646

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Motor Vessel "DUISBURG" having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hong Kong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company's godowns at Kowloon, where Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Cargo will be landed, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd July, 1930, will be subject to Rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 22nd July, 1930 at 10 a.m., by our Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

All Claims must reach us before the 6th August, 1930, or they will not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned.

JEBSEN & CO.,
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Hong Kong, 16th July, 1930. [9647

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Swatow & Bangkok	"KAYING"	On 26th July,	3 p.m.
Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SOOCHOW"	On 31st July,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUNNING"	On 22nd July,	Noon
Foochow, Shanghai, Newchwang & Dalny	"TEAN"	On 22nd July,	5 p.m.
Amoy & Shanghai	"TSINAN"	On 24th July,	Daylight
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"CHENGTU"	On 24th July,	10 a.m.
Hoihow, Store & Bangkok	"KWEILYANG"	On 24th July,	Noon
Swatow, Foochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"HUICHOW"	On 25th July,	Noon
Amoy, Swatow & Singapore	"ANHUI"	On 27th July,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SUIYANG"	On 27th July,	Noon
Swatow & Bangkok	"KWANGCHOW"	On 27th July,	3 p.m.
S'hai., Newchwang & Dalny	"LUCHOW"	On 28th July,	5 p.m.
Swatow, Shanghai & Tsingtao	"SHANTUNG"	On 29th July,	Noon
Amoy & Shanghai	"TAIYUAN"	On 31st July,	Daylight
Hoihow, Pakhoi & Haiphong	"KANCHOW"	On 7th Aug.,	10 a.m.
Swatow, Foochow, Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	"KUEICHOW"	On 8th Aug.,	Noon

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STATION	JULY 17, 1930. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level: Inches	Millrs.	Temperature	Humidity	Wind: Direction	Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)	JULY 18, 1930. Hong Kong Standard Time	Barometer at Sea Level: Inches	Millrs.	Temperature	Humidity	Wind: Direction	Force (Beaufort)	Weather (Beaufort)
Wladivostock	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nemuro	11	29.86	768.5	...	...	SE	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hakodate	"	29.80	767.0	...	...	SSE	1	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tokio	"	29.76	766.0	...	...	...	0	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kochi	"	29.70	764.5	...	...	SE	1	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nagasaki	"	29.51	749.5	...	...	E	2	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kagoshima	"	29.51	749.5	...	...	SE	2	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oshima	"	28.96	735.5	...	...	SE	5	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Naha	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ishigakijima	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bonin Island	"	29.78	756.5	...	...	N	1	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chefoo	15	29.47	748.5	83	79	E	4	b	6	29.51	749.5	70	100	N	1	b
Shanghai	14	29.46	748.2	90	60	NNE	1	b	"	29.47	748.5	75	98	NW	1	b
Gutzlaff	"	29.49	749.0	86	84	N	1	o	"	29.53	750.0	78	92	N	1	b
Wenchow	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	29.48	748.8	81	94	SE	1	b
Foochow	"	29.48	748.8	83	83	NW	2	r	7	29.55	750.5	83	87	SW	1	b
Amoy	"	29.42	747.2	86	76	SSW	2	b	6	29.48	748.8	82	83	S	4	b
Swatow	"	29.41	747.0	85	84	SSW	2	c	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taihoku	11	29.46	748.2	90	82	W	4	o	5	29.52	749.7	77	94	...	0	b
Taichu	"	29.55	750.6	90	...	S	2	o	"	29.58	751.2	77	...	...	0	o
Tainan	"	29.58	751.2	77	...	NW	2	r	"	29.56	750.9	73	...	N	2	r
Koshun	"	29.54	750.3	82	...	W	2	o	"	29.58	751.2	81	...	SW	2	r
Pescadores	"	29.54	750.3	82	...	...	0	r	"	29.62	749.7	79	...	SSW	4	o
Hong Kong	14	29.36	745.7	81	89	S	3	o	6	29.45	748.0	77	94	...	0	or
Gap Rock	"	29.36	745.7	83	...	SW	3	o	"	29.46	748.2	82	...	SSW	4	o
Macao	"	29.32	744.6	82	85	WSW	4	o	"	29.41	747.0	79	95	S	4	o
Hoihow	"	29.42	747.2	85	80	W	2	o	"	29.49	749.0	82	88	W	1	o
Pratas Island	"	29.49	749.0	88	79	SSW	4	bc	6	29.54	750.3	85	76	SSW	5	b
Phulien	15	29.38	746.1	90	69	W	4	o	7	29.41	747.0	82	84	W	4	o
Tourane	"	29.50	749.4	93	...	SSW	2	b	"	29.52	749.7	86	...	E	2	o
Cape St. James	"	29.78	756.3	79	...	SW	4	o	"	29.79	756.6	77	...	SW	6	o
Basco	14	29.55	750.6	86	81	WSW	4	o	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aparri	"	29.59	751.5	90	60	SSW	4	o	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuguegarao	"	29.59	751.5	81	91	S	1	r	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	"	29.63	752.7	84	85	SSW	4	r	"	29.67	753.6	79	92	SSW	4	r
Manila	"	29.71	754.5	81	89	SW	6	o	"	29.73	755.1	79	95	SSW	1	o
Legaspi	"	29.69	754.2	86	71	SW	4	o	"	29.75	755.7	79	91	SW	4	o
Calboyog	"	29.74	755.4	86	75	SSW	6	o	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tacloban	"	29.73	755.1	90	60	SW	2	o	"	29.81	757.2	77	86	W	2	b
Iloilo	"	29.75	755.7	86	78	SW	4	o	"	29.79	756.6	79	87	SW	4	o
Cebu	"	29.74	755.4	86	71	S	4	o	"	29.79	756.6	82	77	SW	4	o
Surigao	...	29.75	755.7	90	51	WSW	2	o	"	29.79	756.6	77	91	SSW	2	o
Saipan	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guam	12.22	29.71	754.5	...	...	NW	4	b	4.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yap	11.00	29.80	756.9	...	...	W	4	o	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pelew	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Labuan	14	29.81	757.2	92	64	SW	4	b	6	29.82	757.4	80	91	S	4	b

July 17*d.* 16*h.* 38*m.*—Warning to Hong Kong, Coast Ports, &c.:—A severe typhoon within 60 miles of Lat. 29° N. Long. 128° E., moving N.N.W.

July 18*d.* 10*h.* 19*m.*—Warning to Hong Kong, Coast Ports, &c.:—A severe typhoon within 60 miles of Lat. 33° N. Long. 127° E., moving N.

July 18*d.* 11*h.* 15*m.*—A very severe typhoon is approaching Korea on a northerly track.

A depression is central to the east of Yunnanfu.

Manila warning, 17*d.* 11*h.* 15*m.*:—Typhoon in Lat. 28° N. Long. 127° E., inclining northward. Recd. 17*d.* 11*h.* 45*m.*

Shanghai warning, 18*d.* 8*h.* 50*m.*:—A severe typhoon within 60 miles of Lat. 32° N. Long. 128° E., moving N.N.E. Recd. 18*d.* 9*h.* 06*m.*

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 1·82 inches. Total since January 1, 44·83 inches, against an average of 45·73 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON JULY 19.

DISTRICT.	FORECAST.
1.—Formosa Channel	Light, variable winds.
2.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Lamocks 3.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock 4.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Hainan	S.W. winds, fresh; generally overcast with rain at first, improving later.

T. F. CLAXTON, *Director.*

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, July 18.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer	29.36	29.48	29.43
Temperature	81	80	82
Humidity	87	87	87
Wind—Direction	SSW	SSW	S
Force	4	2	3
Weather	ORQ	O	OD
Rain	2.15	0.00	1.34

Highest open-air Temperature, 17:84
Lowest open-air Temperature, 18:77

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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From July 19 to 25, 1930.

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water: Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Low Water: Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Sat.	19	m 3 29	4 8	m 9 25	3 5
		2 58 a	4 5	9 37 a	2 6
Sun.	20	m 4 10	5 3	m 11 32	3 0
		4 39 a	4 1	10 16 a	2 8
Mon.	21	m 4 56	5 8	0 47 a	2 3
		6 16 a	3 8	10 53 a	3 0
Tues.	22	m 5 44	6 5	1 43 a	1 6
		7 41 a	3 1	11 39 a	3 1
Wed.	23	m 6 33	7 1	—	—
		8 52 a	3 7	2 30 a	0 9
Thur.	24	m 7 23	7 6	m 0 31	3 2
		9 51 a	3 8	3 14 a	0 3
Fri.	25	m 8 14	8 0	m 1 28	3 1
		10 39 a	3 8	3 57 a	0 1

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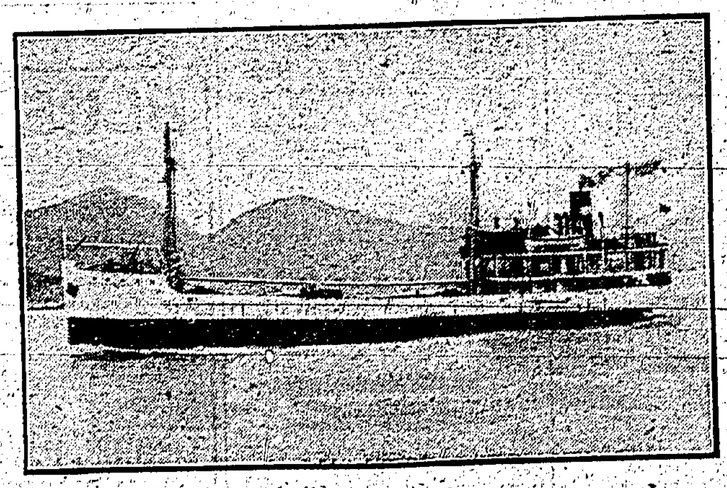

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	"FOOSHING"	Wed., 30th July, at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA ...	"HOSANG"	Tues., 22nd July, at 3 p.m.
	"YUENSANG"	Mon., 28th July, at 3 p.m.
	"KUMSANG"	Wed., 6th Aug., at 3 p.m.
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	"KUTSANG"	Tues., 19th Aug., at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, MOJI & KOBE ...	"NAMSANG"	Tues., 5th Aug., at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN ...	"HINSANG"	Sun., 20th July, at 10 a.m.
	"MAUSANG"	Thurs., 31st July, at Noon
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Empress of Japan	Aug. 7	Aug. 10	Aug 12	Aug. 14	Aug. 22
Empress of Asia*	Aug. 20	Aug. 23	Aug. 26	Aug. 28	Sept. 6
Empress of Canada	Sept. 4	Sept. 7	Sept. 9	Sept. 11	Sept. 19
Empress of Russia*	Sept. 17	Sept. 20	Sept 23	Sept. 25	Oct. 4
Empress of Japan	Oct. 2	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 17
Empress of Asia*	Oct. 15	Oct. 18	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Nov. 1
Empress of Canada	Oct. 30	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 14
Empress of Russia*	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 29
Empress of Japan	Nov. 27	Nov. 30	Dec. 2	Dec. 4	Dec. 12
Empress of Asia*	Dec. 10	Dec. 13	Dec. 16	Dec. 18	Dec. 27
Empress of Canada	Dec. 25	Dec. 28	Dec. 31	Jan. 1	Jan. 9
Empress of Russia*	Jan. 7	Jan. 10	Jan. 13	Jan. 15	Jan. 24
Empress of Japan	Jan. 28	Feb. 1	Feb. 3	Feb. 5	Feb. 13
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YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS.

IMPORTS 18,000 TONS; THROUGH CARGO 27,800 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports.
British		
Takliwa, Osaka	633	618
Rajputana, London	800	800
Liangchow, Canton	—	30
Lyeemoon, Hoihow	500	—
Haldis, Saigon	2,000	—
Kiungchow, Singapore	400	—
	4,333	1,448
American		
Royal Arrow, San Pedro	12,500	424
Texas, Kobe	1,476	1,127
	13,976	1,551
Norwegian		
Andrea, San Pedro	6,652	—
Helios, Singapore	100	—
Ulrikka, Hongay	1,800	—
	8,552	—
German		
Burgenland, Tsingtao	—	7,500
	—	7,500
French		
Chang Kiang, Haiphong	160	3,500
	160	3,500
Dutch		
Sipora, Sourabaya	671	1,132
	671	1,132
Japanese		
Montevideo Maru, Kobe	217	2,189
Canton Maru, Keelung	1,018	—
Lyons Maru, Singapore	229	4,698
Monoker Maru, Calcutta	598	2,304
Seattle Maru, Sakito	262	3,311
	2,324	12,692
Total	18,016	27,823

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

	Arr.	Dep.
British	7	5
American	2	0
Norwegian	3	1
German	1	1
Danish	1	0
French	1	1
Dutch	1	2
Japanese	6	2
Chinese	2	2
Total	24	14

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Takliwa (Br.) Osaka, Amoy	83
Lyeemoon (Br.) Hoihow	459
Haldis (Br.) Saigon	266
Helios (Nor.) Singapore, Hoihow	388

(Continued on next Column.)

ARRIVALS.

July 17.

Kiung Chow, British str., 1,543 tons, Capt. C. Stringer, from Amoy, buoy No. B8.—B. & S.

Sagara Maru, Japanese str., 1,067 tons, Capt. S. Matsushita, from Keelung, buoy No. C49.—M.B.K.

July 18.

Burgenland, German str., 7,319 tons, Capt. C. Dehicke, from Shanghai, buoy No. A5.—Jebsen & Co.

Haldis, British str., 1,144 tons, Capt. C. Boyce, from Saigon, Stonecutters.—Wo Fat Sing.

Hiram, Norwegian str., 1,109 tons, Capt. S. Eliassen, from Swatow, buoy No. C40.—Thoresen & Co.

Kumakata Maru, Japanese str., 783 tons, Capt. C. Kuwamoto, from Canton, Yaumati.—Sato Y. & Co.

Main, German, 4,741 tons, Capt. A. Warnake, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—Melchers & Co.

Michael Jebsen, Danish str., 1,341 tons, Capt. H. Ipland, from Hoihow, buoy No. B38.—Chin Seng Hong.

Morea, British str., 5,975 tons, Capt. R. Holland, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf.—Mackinnon Mackenzie.

Morioka Maru, Japanese str., 3,095 tons, Capt. I. Yokoyama, from Singapore, Stonecutters. — N. Y. K.

Seattle Maru, Japanese str., 3,622 tons, Capt. T. Urayama, from Sakito, Kowloon Wharf.—O.S.K.

Soochow, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. C. Mather, from Swatow, buoy No. B12.—B. & S.

Tai Yin, Norwegian str., 4,109 tons, Capt. E. Bjones, from Manila, buoy No. A1.—Dodwell & Co.

CLEARANCES.

July 18.

Burgenland, for Manila.
Foo Lee, for Tsingtao.
Hai Hing, for Swatow.
Hermes, for Niri.
Main, for Shanghai.
Morea, for Singapore.
Moricka Maru, for Moji.
Sagara Maru, for Canton.
Seattle Maru, for Singapore.
Sitting, for Chenwangtao.
Soochow, for Canton.
Tai Yin, for Shanghai.
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Michael Jebsen (Dan.) Bangkok, Hoihow	146
Chang Kiang (Fr.) Haiphong, Pakhoi	100
Canton Maru (Jap.) Keelung, Swatow	70
Total	1,512

DEFENDANT LATE!

AND SO WAS THE POLICE OFFICER.

Because the defendant was not present in Court at the hour appointed for the hearing of his case, the Marine Court had to adjourn for a few minutes yesterday.

The man concerned was Kong Kau, who, as the coxswain of a motor boat, was summoned for failing to renew the licence of his craft. Incidentally, the officer who served the summons on the defendant was also absent from Court, but Inspector Munro informed the Magistrate that the officer was on his way and would be there in a few minutes. The magistrate therefore adjourned the Court pending the arrival of the Police Officer in order that he might give evidence of having served the summons on the defendant.

When the Court resumed, defendant was also present and he pleaded guilty to the charge.

His Worship: Why were you not here when the Court sat?

Defendant: I was here very early but I suddenly realised that I had not brought my licence with me, your Worship. I live in Yaumati and had to go back all the way to fetch it.

The magistrate then told the defendant that it was indeed a fortunate thing for him that the officer who served the summons was also late, otherwise a warrant would have been issued for his arrest, and then he would have had to remain in custody for a night before he (the magistrate) would take the case. As it was he imposed a fine of $25.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

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†"KALYAN"	9,144	2nd Aug.	Mars., L'don., Hull, R'dm. & A'werp.
"RAJPUTANA"	16,568	16th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
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†"KASHMIR"	8,985	30th Aug.	Mars., L'don., Hull, R'dm. & A'werp.
"MANTUA"	10,946	13th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†"KASHGAR"	9,005	27th Sept.	Mars., L'don., Hull, R'dm. & A'werp.
"MALWA"	10,980	11th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
†"KHYBER"	9,114	25th Oct.	Mars., L'don., Hull, R'dm. & A'werp.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	8th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
•"NAGPORE"	5,283	15th Nov.	Marseilles and London.
†"KARMALA"	9,128	22nd Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	6th Dec.	do.
†"KALYAN"	9,144	20th Dec.	Mars., L'don., Hull, R'dm. & A'werp.
		1931	
"RANCHI"	16,650	3rd Jan.	Marseilles and London.
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"TALAMBA"	8,018	2nd Aug.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
•"BORDA"	—	3rd Aug.	Shanghai & Kobe
"TALMA"	10,000	10th Aug.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"MANTUA"	10,946	15th Aug.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	29th Aug.	do.
•"BIRRIMA"	—	31st Aug.	Shanghai & Kobe.
"MALWA"	10,980	12th Sept.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
•"NAGPORE"	5,283	23rd Sept.	do.
"KHYBER"	9,114	26th Sept.	do.
"MOREA"	10,954	10th Oct.	do.
"KARMALA"	9,128	18th Oct.	do.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	24th Oct.	do.
•"BENALLA"	—	27th Oct.	Shanghai & Kobe.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	7th Nov.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"KALYAN"	9,144	22nd Nov.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
"RANCHI"	16,650	5th Dec.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
"KASHMIR"	8,985	20th Dec.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
		1931	
"COMORIN"	15,132	3rd Jan.	S'hai., Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	17th Jan.	do.
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"MACEDONIA"	11,120	14th Feb.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,619	28th Feb.	S'hai., Kobe & Yokohama.
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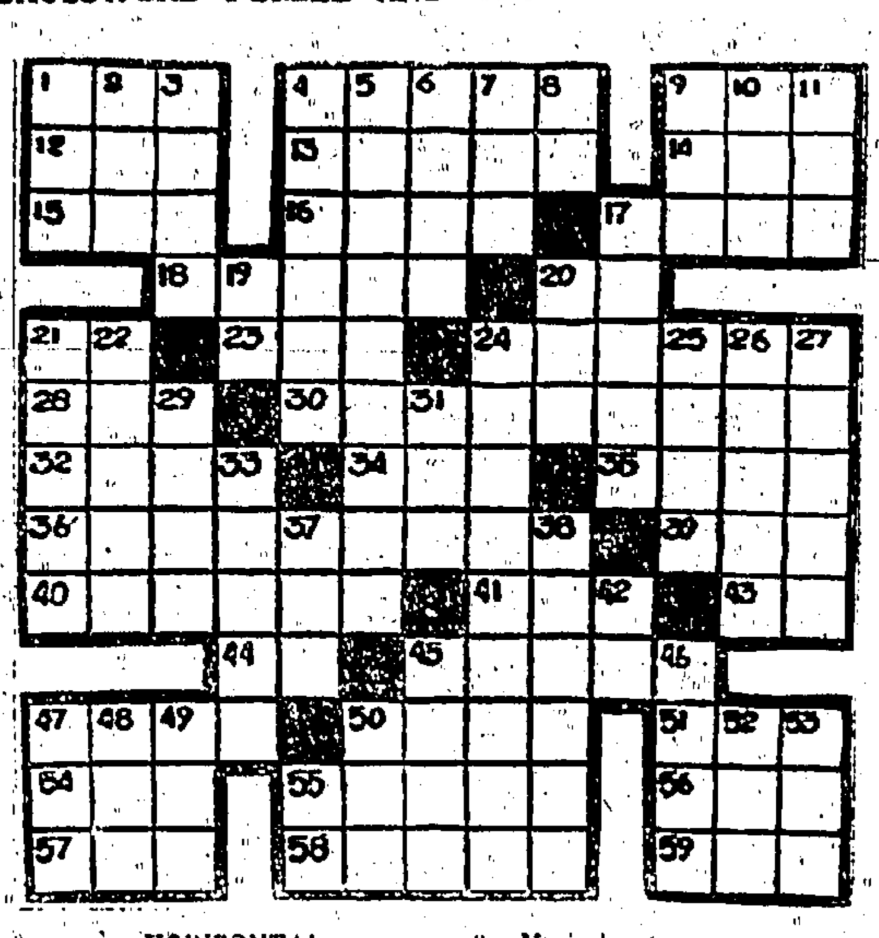

HORIZONTAL

1.—To pierce.
4.—Snake.
9.—In what manner.
12.—Self.
13.—Permission.
14.—Anger.
15.—A number.
16.—Island.
17.—Hurried.
18.—Italian poet.
20.—Type measure.
21.—Mother.
23.—Feminine pronoun.
24.—Grins.
28.—Cloth measure.
30.—One who argues.
32.—Oceans.
34.—Billiard stick.
35.—To conceal.
36.—Designer of building.
39.—Correlative of neither.
40.—Hardens.
41.—Old pronoun.
43.—Pronoun.
44.—Spanish article.
45.—Peeled.
47.—Flowerless plant.
50.—Roman statesman.
51.—High mountain.
54.—To be indebted to.
55.—Boat.
56.—A grain.
57.—Resting place.
58.—Pitchers.
59.—Range of knowledge.

VERTICAL

1.—Black mineral.
2.—To mature.
3.—Tie.
4.—Placed in row.
5.—Territorial divisions.
6.—To strike out.
7.—Girl's name.
8.—Musical note.
9.—Part of body.
10.—Metal bearing rock.
11.—To marry.
17.—Craftsman in metals.
19.—Exclamation.
20.—Australian bird.
21.—Plateaus.
22.—Watchful.
24.—Onlooker.
25.—Reclined.
26.—To endure.
27.—Metric cubic measure.
29.—Fine fabric.
31.—To take court action.
33.—Lustre.
37.—Sick.
38.—Violent pains.
42.—Old pronoun.
45.—Sheet of glass.
46.—Gloomy.
47.—Watch charm.
48.—Female sheep.
49.—A color.
50.—Cry of crow.
52.—Caustic substance.
53.—Writing implement.
55.—Symbol for cerium.

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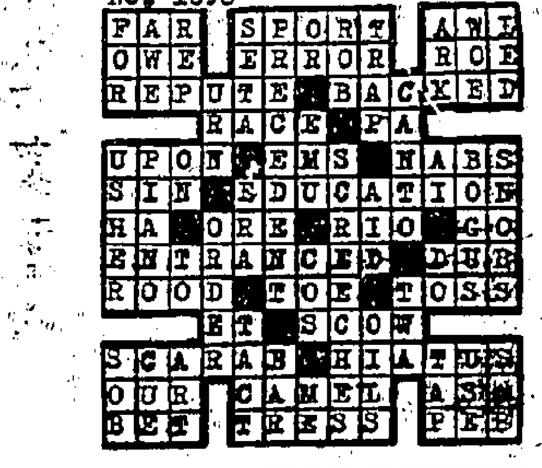

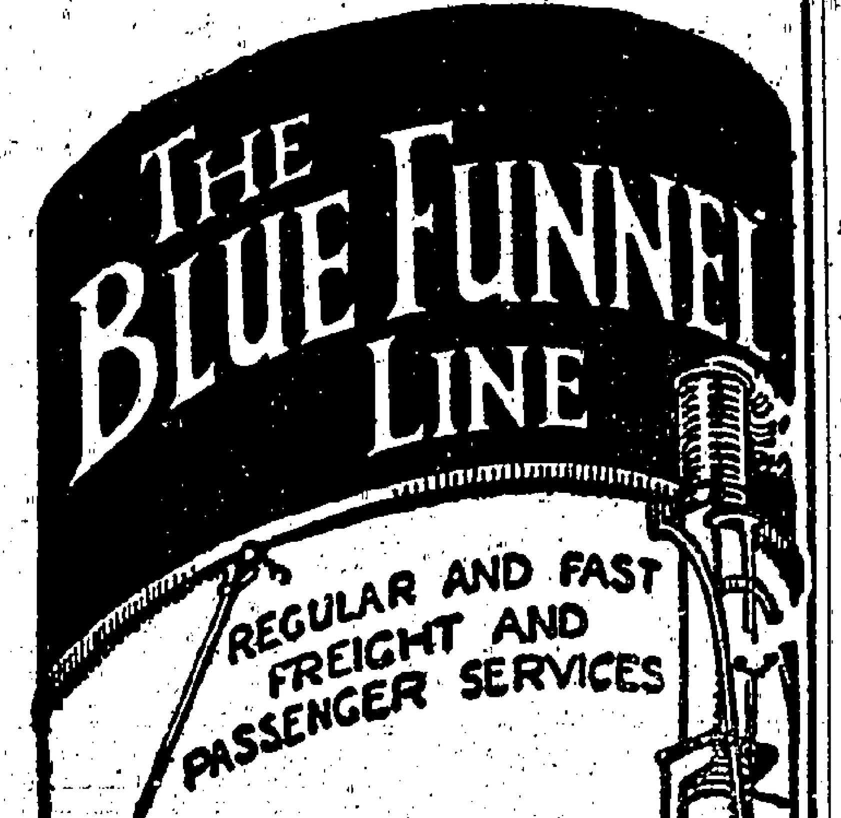

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